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BIRTH.

PRICE—March 29, 1920, at 4 Birkbeck rd., West Dulwich, to Lillie, wife of Edward Price, gift of a daughter.

DEATHS.

BYRNE—April 13, 1920, at 24 Clarinda Park, West, Rev. Thomas Byrne, P.P., St. Audoen's, High st. R.I.P. Remains will be received at St. Audoen's, High st., at 7 o'clock, this (Thursday) evening. Solemn Requiem Office and Mass, St. Audoen's, High st., 11 a.m., to-morrow (Friday), April 16th. Funeral to Glasnevin immediately after Mass.

DOYLE—April 14, 1920, at his residence, 1 Clifton tce., Ranelagh rd., Michael Doyle, late Stationmaster, Shankill, Co. Dublin, father of Rev. Kevin Doyle, C.C., Kilmyshall, Ferns. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and children. R.I.P. Funeral to Glasnevin to-morrow (Friday), after 9 o'clock Mass, from St. Kevin's, Harrington st.

HARDY—April 14, 1920, at 9 Zion rd., Rathgar, James North Hardy, only son of the late Freeman Hardy, of Belfast. "When I see the Blood I will pass over you." Exodus xii., 13. Funeral, Saturday, 17th inst., leaving 9 Zion rd., Rathgar, for Mount Jerome at 9 o'clock a.m. No flowers, by request.

KAY—April 13, 1920, at No. 40 Blessington st., Mrs. Frances Kay. Interment at Mount Jerome to-morrow (Friday), 16th April, 1920. Funeral private.

KELLS—April 14, 1920, Henry Kells, D.M. Police, 7 Pleasants st., aged 41 years, the beloved husband of Louisa Kells. Funeral arrangements later. American and Australian papers please copy.

McKNIGHT—April 14, 1920, at Kenawley Rectory, Ballyconnell, Co. Cavan, after a brief illness, Rev. J. McKnight, Rector of the Parish. Deeply regretted. Funeral from the Rectory to-morrow (Friday), 16th inst., at 2 p.m.

MORTON—At 12 Sarsfield quay, George, beloved husband of Elizabeth Morton. Deeply regretted. "At rest with God." Funeral to Mount Jerome Cemetery, 9 o'clock, to-morrow (Friday) morning.

PRICE—April 9, 1920, at 4 Birkbeck rd., West Dulwich, London, Lillie, dearly-beloved wife of Edward Price, and eldest daughter of Francis and Isabella Woodgate, late of this city. "I shall be satisfied when I awake with Thy likeness."

REID—April 12, 1920, at Steevens' Hospital, of pneumonia, John Reid, R.I.C. Depot, second son of W. Reid, Mullinbuoys Villa, Inver, Donegal, brother of W. J. Reid, R.I.C., Springfield rd., Belfast. "I will trust, and not be afraid." Deeply regretted.

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RIDGEWAY—In ever-loving memory of my dearly-beloved husband, Charles A. Ridgeway, who fell asleep at his residence, "Rathdrum," Dartry rd., Dublin, 15th April, 1919. "Severed only till He come." "Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace," Ps. xxxvii., 37.

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

DUBLIN ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Barometer—29.10. Wind and weather—W.S.W. wind, fresh breeze; fine and clear.

Foreign Arrival—Ss. Frithjof Eide, of Norway, 746 tons register, Captain Austein, bound from Santander to Ayr, put in for bunkers; agents, Messrs. Betson and Co., Eden quay; berthed at North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Greenore, from Holyhead, with passengers, etc.; ss. Lady Patricia, ss. Princess Ena, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Glenmay, ss. Ibis, from Garston, with coals; ss. Normand, from Preston, with coals; ss. Inchbrayock, from Ardrossan, with coals; ss. Stanley, from Liverpool, with slag; ss. Dingle, ss. Ruby, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Sapphire, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Skelwith Force, from Cardiff, with coals; ss. Ruth, from Birkenhead, with coals; ss. Walnut, from Ellesmereport, with coals; ss. Clarecastle, from Manchester with empties; H.M.S. Undine, from Holyhead.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Greenore, for Holyhead, with passengers, etc.; ss. Nora, for Garston, with timber; ss. Jane, for Manchester, with bermak; ss. Enid, for Carnarvon, light; ss. Charlus, for Barry, light; Wm. Shephard, for Irving, with scrap.

LLOYD'S SHIPPING NEWS.

Mails.

BALMORAL CASTLE, from Southampton, arrived Table Bay 12th.
BHAMO, from Rangoon, and the IKALA, from Boston, arrived in the Mersey 14th.
CARMANIA, for Liverpool, left New York 12th.
CITY OF KARACHI, from Clyde, arr. Port Said 13th.
CHYEBASSA, from London, arrived Port Sudan 12th.
CALCUTTA MARU, Shimonoseki for Liverpool; the DRACHENFELS, Adelaide for United Kingdom; the KASHMIR, from Yokohama; and the SHIDZUOKA MARU, Yokohama for London, all arrived Suez 13th.
CITY OF DURHAM, for London, left Calcutta 12th.
COMRIE CASTLE, from London, arr. Table Bay 11th.
DARRO, for Buenos Ayres, left Mersey 13th.
DUENDES, for Liverpool, left Newport News 11th.
DEMOSTHENES, from London, arrived Albany 12th.
FLAMINIAN, for London, left Table Bay 12th.
FRANKFURT, for Liverpool, left Bombay 12th.
FREMELLAND, for U.K. left Calcutta 11th.
FRANKFURT, for Liverpool, left Bombay 12th.
GAMBIA RIVER, for Hull, left Buenos Ayres 12th.
GLENTUALLY CASTLE, for London, left Port Said 12.
GAIKA, from Tees, and the INANDA, from London, both arrived Delagoa Bay 10th.
HUNTSGREEN, from Plymouth, arrived Bombay 12th.
MUNSLET, for Buenos Ayres, and the PROFESSOR, for Pernambuco, both left Cardiff 13th.
HINDOO arrived at Karachi 10th.
IONIC, for New Zealand, left Norfolk 13th.
ISERLOHN, for Leith, left Monte Video 12th.
JUNIN, for Guayaquil, left Gravesend 13th.
KWARRA, from Tyne, arrived Norfolk 13th.
KURSK, for United Kingdom, left Malta 10th.
MACKINAW, from London, arrived Philadelphia 13th.
NORE, from London, arrived Shanghai 11th.
NICOYA, from Garston, arrived Kingston 13th.
NEVASA, Calcutta for London, left Port Said 12th.
ORVIETO, from London, arrived Adelaide 12th.
ORBITA, from Liverpool, arrived Monte Video 12th.
REGINA, from Philadelphia; the MEDIAN, from New Orleans; and the STUDENT, from Pernambuco, all arrived Mersey 13th.
SILARUS, from London and the ALMANZORA, from Southampton, both arrived Pernambuco 13th.
SPECTATOR, from Clyde, arrived Table Bay 10th.
VORONEZ, from Southampton, arrived Colombo 13th.
VOLIMNIA, from New York, arrived Gravesend 14th.

Steamships' Movements.

BENARTY, for Hull, left Gibraltar 13th.
CLAN KEITH, Madras for London, arr. Suez 13th.
CLAN MACARTHUR, for London, left Hobart 12th.
HOLYWELL, from London, arrived Colombo 12th.
MANCHESTER MERCHANT, from Manchester, arrd. St. John 13th.
MANCHESTER SHIPPER, for Manchester, left Philadelphia 13th.
PHENUS, from London, arrived Shanghai 11th.
SIAMESE PRINCE, from Leith, arrived New York 13.

Cunard Line Movements.

CARMANIA left New York 4 p.m. Monday for Liverpool, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.
CANADIAN RANGER left St. John, N.B., on Monday for Liverpool.
IKALA arrived Liverpool Tuesday from Boston.
RIVER ORONTES arrived Gibraltar on Tuesday from New York, via Newport News.
VENUSIA arrived Portland (Me.) on Tuesday from Boston.

LOOTING PREVENTED AT DUBLIN PORT.

Last evening a special force of police was brought to the North Wall, and placed on duty at the Spencer Dock premises and stores of the Midland Great Western Railway Company. This provision was rendered necessary, it appeared, by the fact that looters had commenced helping themselves to such supplies as they could lay hands upon. At both sides of the river pilfering of coal was reported to have taken place.

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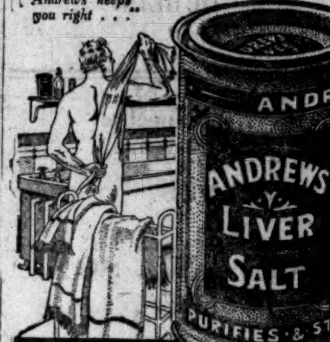

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MARKET REPORTS.

CATTLE.—WAKEFIELD, Wednesday. — Very light show of beef, and no sheep. Fat cattle made 65/- to 75/- per cwt., live weight; milch beasts, £38 to £60 each; stores, of which there was a good display, £18 to £36.

GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Numbers of Scotch cattle much about the same as last week, and quality fully better. Irish cattle still decreasing in number, with quality only fair. Sheep a good show, and mostly all of good quality. The supply of home and foreign beef is still good in the dead meat section.

EDINBURGH, Wednesday.—Sheep a ready clearance. Half-bred ewe hoggets to 103/-, wether hoggets 97/-. Cheviot ewes 100/-, grey-faced 107/-, Oxfords 100/-, black-faced 97/-. Cattle dull; polled bullocks to £42, stirks £34, shorthorn cows to £74, Ayrshires £52.

LEEDS, Wednesday.—Number of cattle on offer 96. No change in price from last week; no sheep on offer. Dairy cows (five) at from £35 to £50.

GRAIN.—GLASGOW CORN, Wednesday.—Wheat controlled and at a fixed price. Flour, G.R., 63/6; imported, 65/6. Maize scarce on spot. Barley quiet and easier. Oats unaltered; foreign easier. Beans in buyers' favour. Peas unchanged. Oatmeal dull at late rates.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Wednesday.—WHEAT—Fairly liberal allocations, comprising cargoes of Plate, 5,000 tons per Erroll, and Falkenfels 10,000 tons, both to London at 94/-; the Baron Minto, 6,000 tons Australian to Avonmouth at 96/-; the Warkworth, 2,250 tons Australian ex store Barry at 98/- per 480 lbs. MAIZE cargoes not offered, but Governmental allocations per Tremaine, 5,000 tons Plate to Liverpool at 70/-, T.Q. terms. Parcels of Plate easier; April-May sold 73/3 to 72/6; May-June quoted 70/9 per 480 lbs. BARLEY weak; No. 4 Canada Western April sellers 73/-; Canada feed May-June 69/- per 400 lbs. OATS dull and weaker; Plate March-April sellers 52/-, April-May 51/6 per 320 lbs.

MARK LANE, Wednesday.—WHEAT—Steady demand; whites delivered up to 76/6 to 77/-, reds ditto. Foreign grades unaltered; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 98/6 ex ship, No. 2 97/6 ex ship, No. 3 96/6 ex ship, Australian 100/-, No. 2 red winter 96/6 ex ship, Argentine 98/- to 100/- ex ship. FLOUR generally quiet; Canadian 65/6 ex store, Minneapolis ditto, Iron Duke ditto, Australian 65/6 ex store, English G.R. 63/6 ex mills. BARLEY slow; native 90/- to 105/-, American malting 76/- landed, No. 4 Canada Western 75/- landed. OATS quiet; native 60/- to 64/-, black Irish 59/- to 61/- landed. Plata 52/6, American white clipped 62/6. MAIZE firm; Plate 72/6 ex ship, 74/6 landed.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—MAIZE—Parcels River Plate were held for higher prices at the outset, but afterwards gave way on freer offerings, and finished about 9d. per qr. under last night. June-July selling at 69/6, and May-June 70/- per qr. Government-owned parcels afloat were sold at 70/- per qr. tale quale. WHEAT on the spot ruled quietly steady at yesterday's market currencies. Maize—spot parcels quiet at about late rates. FLOUR moved but moderately on the Government terms. Canadian feed BARLEY May-June held at 69/- per qr. Yellow River Plate maize "futures" were inactive throughout the day, and, in sympathy with easier c.i.f. parcels, closed nominally 1d. per cental lower. Closing values—July 15/9, September 15/2 per cental.

PROVISIONS.—BILLINGSGATE FISH, Wednesday.—Supply liberal; demand quiet. Salmon, 2/7 to 2/10; salmon trout, 2/- to 2/6; soles, slips, 1/- to 1/4; red mullet, 2/6 per lb.; turbot and brill, 6/- to 8/-; plaice, 5/- to 7/-; halibut, 1/- to 1/7; lemon soles, 12/-; cod, 4/- to 7/-; whiting, 3/- to 5/-; gurnet, 5/-; ling, 3/-; haddocks, 5/- to 8/-; skate, 3/- to 4/-; bream, 4/6; hake, 6/- to 8/- per stone.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—BACON—The Food Controller has raised the price of bellies 20/- per cwt., bringing them up to the old level of 212/- to the wholesaler and 217/- any other sale, and also states that the entire list will be revised shortly. Chicago cables show a smart improvement in value of live hogs, but speculative products lower. The better feeling with regard to American bacon becomes more pronounced owing to the difficulty of obtaining anything else, and buyers operate to a fair extent, especially in Wiltshires, backs and Cumberlands. Irish and home made not much in evidence; the former are obtainable in only small quantities, and some fresh bellies, which have been allotted, are eagerly sought after at the enhanced prices. Danish not offered, though supplies shortly expected, and the small quantity of Canadian and Irish still keenly competed for. LARD on the spot in only moderate request, and offerings of American refined fully equal to all needs. BUTTER firm. Distribution of the recent allocation, now proceeding, includes Danish and blended. EGGS—More or less nominal for Irish hen, owing to shortage consequent on the strike in Ireland, the few on market realising about 28/- per 120; duck unchanged at 32/-, Egyptian 16/8, and Chinese 16/8 to 21/- per 120.

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GRIMSBY FISH, Wednesday.—Good supply from forty-two North Sea and three Iceland vessels; demand fair. English cod, 3/6 to 4/-; plaice, 5/- to 8/-; dabs, 5/6 to 7/-; turbots and brills, 6/- to 7/-; kit haddocks, 5/- to 7/-; small, 3/6; whiting, 1/3 to 3/- per stone; soles, 1/11 per lb.

PRODUCE.—LONDON, Wednesday.—SUGAR—Market quietly steady for manufacturing account. COFFEE—Spot goods sell slowly at recent rates; futures dull; May quoted 122/3, July 113/6, September 113/-, December 113/-, March 108/- per cwt. TEA—In auction some 15,000 packages Indian were offered, and met a very slow market at irregular prices; Pekoe sold 1/- to 1/8½, broken ditto 1/2 to 1/9½, orange 1/2¾ to 1/9, broken ditto 1/4 to 2/1¼, Souchong 11½d. to 1/4½ per lb. RICE quiet, slow, and without new feature. Beans quiet. Peas met with more support. SPICE—Pepper steadier; sellers more reserved; fair black Singapore spot 7¼d., May-July steamer sold 8¼d. Aleppy spot sellers 8¼d., Tellicherry 10½d., white Singapore spot 1/2¼, Muntok 1/2¼, Zanzibar cloves spot 2/5. Pimento 6d. per lb. TAPIOCA steady; fair flake spot sold 3½d. per lb., ditto April-June done 30/-; fair Penang seed spot 34/-, April-June 30/6. Sago flour—April-June 25/6, spot 26/-. Farina—Spot 31/-, April-June 28/6. DESICCATED COCOANUT—Afloat spot 75/-. In auction some fine cut off colour lying in Manchester sold without reserve at 57/- to 58/- per cwt. JUTE—Actual transactions are still confined to a very narrow compass, demand from spinners showing no improvement; prices, however, manifest a steadier tendency, due to stimulating advices from Calcutta, but the full effect of same is not felt, owing to so many native consignments being still on offer. Native first marks actuals April-May London and Dundee quoted £65, subs. £57, Daisee No. 2 £60 to £62 per ton. Hessians rather nominal here, but Calcutta cables reported a strong American demand for goods at advancing rates. Sales include B twills May-June at 145/- to 147/6. HEMP—Manila fully steady, with sellers rather reserved; J grade April-June £68 per ton, with other qualities in proportion; New Zealand quietly steady. SHELLAC—Market dull and easy; T.N. standard May 540/-, August 520/- per cwt. COPRA quiet; sundried Straits April-June London sold £57 10/-, ditto to Rotterdam £58, Hamburg sold £60, New York £61; F.M. ditto May-July Marseilles sold £58. PALM KERNELS flat; April-June sold £49 15/- per ton. MENTHOL—Spot 66/-. Japanese Peppermint oil—Spot 11/9. Aniseed sold 5/-, and slab camphor 12/- per lb. Japanese wax—Spot 107/6 per cwt. RUBBER—Market remained dull; plantation crepe spot 2/2¼, April 2/2¼, May-June 2/3, July-September 2/4, July-December 2/4½, October-December 2/5 to 2/4½; sheet spot sold 2/2½; fine hard Para spot 2/3 per lb. OILS—Linseed easier; spot nominal; May-August sold 86/6. Chinese wood—Hankow spot 144/-, Hong Kong 134/-. Palm—Softs April-May 83/-, Lagos 84/6. Cocoanut—Ceylon spot 100/-, April-May 97/-. Soya afloat, and also April-June 79/-, deodorised 115/- shipment. Ground nut—Crude spot 110/-, deodorised 120/-. Turpentine firm and active; spot American 216/-, May-August 166/6, July-December 137/- per cwt. Petroleum, rosin, etc., unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed easier; Calcutta April-June sold £42, Bombay ordinary April-May £44, Plata April-May £33 10/- to £33 5/-, June-July at £32. Rapeseed weak; Toria April-May Hull £40 10/-, Guzerat ditto London £43. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian f.a.q. April-May Hull sold £21, Bombay March-April £15 15/- and per ton. TALLOW—In auction 2,134 casks offered, and only 103 sold at prices showing a depreciation of 8/- per cwt. as against last auctions of March 3; mixed sold 100/- down to 93/- per cwt. as to quality.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Wednesday.—Market firm.

MISCELLANEOUS.—LIVERPOOL COTTON (Opening), Wednesday.—Market better. April, 25.80d.; May, 25.63d.; June, 25.42d.; July, 25.20d.; August, 24.90d.; September, 24.40d.; October, 23.94d.; November, 23.46d.; December, 23.01d.; January, 22.80d.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Second Report), Wednesday.—American quotations reduced 25 points; Brazilian quotations unchanged; East Indian unchanged; Egyptian in improved request. April, 25.64d.; Mar. 25.53d.; June, 25.27d.; July, 25.04d.; August, 24.73d.; September, 24.23d. Sales, 3,000. Imports, 8,753 bales. Market steady.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Wednesday.—American quotations reduced 24 points; Brazilian quotations unchanged. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian in improved request. April 25.54d., May 25.42d., June 25.19d., July 24.96d., August 24.71d., September 24.31d. Sales 3,000, imports 8,753 bales. Market quiet.

WOOL.—LEICESTER, Wednesday.—The tone of the market remains unchanged for all kinds of wool, but it is understood there is a hardening tendency in the coarser kinds. Hosiery manufacturers and spinners are quite busy.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN—Market ruled firmer, with a good demand, partially on American account, and sellers adopted reserve; prices rallied 70/- to 80/- per ton over last Tuesday's closing level. Cash quote £350 to £350 10/-, three months £349 10/- to £350, settlement price £350. Sales about 400 tons, three months at £348 to £350. COPPER met with fair attention, and certain reserve on the part of sellers led to a rise on balance of 10/- per ton; standard cash £104 10/- to £104 15/-, three months £107 to £107 5/-, settlement price £104 10/-. Sales 1,000 tons, mostly three months at £106 10/- to £107 5/-, and finally £107; electrolytic £112 to £115. LEAD steady. Sales 600 tons; April at £39, May £40, June £41 5/-, July £41 15/-. SPELTER rather easier. Sales 700 tons; April £48 10/-, July £51 10/-, all per ton. TINPLATES unaltered.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

St. James's District Church.—Evening Prayer at 8 o'clock. Rev. Ernest Hunt.

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EASTER LAW SITTINGS.

OPENING OF TERM.

The Easter law sittings were opened yesterday at the Four Courts, Dublin. The Lord Chancellor's Levée and the procession of the judges through the central hall, which in years gone by formed a picturesque feature of the inauguration of the legal year, were abandoned, and the opening ceremony was in consequence devoid of any particular interest. Several of the judges were absent. The Lord Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Pim are still engaged at the business of the Belfast Assizes. Mr. Justice Kenny is slightly indisposed, and Lord Justice O'Connor, Lord Justice Ronan, and Justices Ross, Gordon, Moore, Powell, and Samuels were unable to be present owing to the difficulties of travel imposed by the general strike. The Lord Chancellor and three judges—the Master of the Rolls, Mr. Justice Gibson, and Mr. Justice Dodd—attended a meeting of the Benchers of the King's Inns, but if any business was transacted its nature was not disclosed. The Lord Chancellor and the Master of the Rolls subsequently sat in the Court of Appeal, and arranged the lists for to-day. The Master of the Rolls sat in his own court for a little while, and Mr. Justice Gibson and Mr. Justice Dodd sat in the King's Bench Court. There was a remarkably small muster of barristers about the courts. The effects of the strike were noticeable also in other ways. Owing to the dislocation of the railway service it was found necessary to postpone the jury trials until Monday next. On that day the county and city jurors, special and common, will be called. The following cases are in the list for Monday:—

City Special Juries—Trench v. Sholdice, Parkes and Co., Ltd. v. Pierce and Co., Ltd. (goods sold); Brown and another v. Campbell (work done); Keys and another v. the North of Ireland Shipbuilding Co. and a counter-claim (possession).

City Common Juries—Coolan v. Kangley, Hamilton v. Johnston, Bryers v. Hanvey, Cummins v. Hanvey, Kehoe v. Dalton, O'Mahoney v. the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Co.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Thursday, April 15th, 1920.

H.M. COURT OF APPEAL.—For Hearing. Interlocutory Appeals—McKetterick v. Woods, K.B.D.; Kelleher v. Borthwick, K.B.D. Exparte Appeal—Connolly v. Archer, K.B.D. Final Appeal—Mulholland v. M'Cabe, K.B.D. For to-morrow—Final Appeal—Estate of George M. Pyne, I.L.C.

ROLLS.—To be Mentioned (to fix dates for Hearing)—Actions—Attorney-General v. Ballina Guardians; Roche v. Roche; Masterson v. Masterson; Lydon v. Clarke; Wallace v. Patterson; Martin v. Martin. In Chamber—Courts (B.P.) Acts, O'Sullivan v. Loughnan, Rolls Chambers, 11—Lowe v. Woodside; F. H. G. Wilson, decd., Burns v. Wilson; E. Hayes, decd., Callanan v. Hayes; E. Fitzgerald, decd., Foley v. Russell; W. Sargent, decd., Sargent v. Stuart. In Lunacy, Before the Registrar, at 11.30—Adj. summons, Collis and Ward; summons, Montgomery; summons, Findlater and Co.; statement, Baker, Ringwood, and Gordon. Before the Examiner, 11.30—Vch. ac. Thornhill and Son; vch. ac. Ampleford; vch. ac. Quaid; vch. ac. Hayes and Son; vch. ac. Macken. Lord Chancellor's Chambers—Before the Chief Clerk, 11.30—Keany, minors (O.P.); Rendell, a minor; Rye, a minor (O.P.); MacNamara, minors; O'Brien, decd., O'Brien v. Vaughan. Before Mr. Murphy, 11.30—O'Mahony, a minor; O'Reilly, a minor.

THE HON. MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—Before the Chief Clerk—O'Brien v. Droney; Langford v. Scott; Clibborn v. M'Donnell; Burton v. Willans; Connors v. Connors; Beatty v. Moran; O'Donnell v. Attorney-General. Before Dr. Webb, 11.30—Meldon v. Meldon, vouch account.

TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, 11—Phelan v. Phelan, J. P. Carrigan; the King (Marrinan) v. Whitaitt; Wynne; Williams v. Bracken, Gleeson. Master Denning, 11—Exparte Taxations—A person of unsound mind, G.S., Gerrard and Co.; Phelan, decd., Lewis; Biggs v. Parker, Burton and Son; Looby v. Lonergan, Frewen; Duckett v. Duckett, Ireland; Popham v. Bennett, Wright and Son; same v. same, Bernard and Son; Dundalk U.D.C. to McCourt, J. McCourt; McIvor v. Riversdale, Collis and Ward; same v. same, Foley and Co. Master Macnamara, 11—O'Hara v. O'Hara, M'Allister; Burke v. Grumston, Downey; Metropole Hotel Co. (L), Ltd., Hayes and Sons.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court 1, at 11. Crown Side—Exparte Motions. On Notice—The King (Kilkenny Co. Council) v. Kilkenny U.D.C. and Treasurer. Magistrates' Case—Downey, M'Menamy, and [illegible]... Kennedy (applt.). In Court 2. Exparte Motions at 11 o'clock. Summonses—Joynt and anor. v. Moscardi; Butler and ors. v. Belfast Harbour Commrs.; Porter v. Knodel; D'Arcy v. Bourke. Attendance Order—Joynt and anor. v. Moscardi. Motions on Notice—Holmes and Pearson v. Weiner; Morris v. Aries; Thompson and Sons v. O'Farrell; Viani v. Sealy and anor.; Allen v. M'Manus; Hughes v. Donelan; Wallace Bros. v. M'Carthy; Pickering v. McNeill, Ltd.; Heggarty v. same; Weldon and ors. v. Greene and anor.; Coyle v. Coyle; Cooper v. Tomkins and anor.; Stokes v. Fraser; Hestin v. Tyrrell; Long and Co. v. Fallon and Co.; O'Neill v. Daly; Hassett v. Shaw; Taylor v. Huband-Smith; Cross v. Gleeson and anor.; Reynolds v. M'Closkey; Texter v. Fox and anor.; Beatty v. O'Toole; Crowley v. Crowley; Lyttle and anor. v. Black.

LAND COMMISSION COURT, Four Courts.—Land Purchase Acts. Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Wylie at 11—Exparte Applications. In Chamber. Allocations—Charles Rombey Moore; Sir Francis P. Winter. In Court. Final Schedules—Blanche F. Lodwick; Edward O'Brien; Right Hon. Sir John Edge; Kathleen Montgomery and anor.; Incorporated Society for Promoting Protestant Schools in Ireland; Henry G. Langdale; Martha Sophia Shedden and anor.; Mary E. Steward and anor. Motions—Rebecca A. Love; Walter J. de R. Thackwell. At 32 Nassau street. Before Mr. Shaw, 11.30—Wm. Lloyd Reade, vch. Before Mr. Wilson, 11.30—Minnie L. Forster, vch. at 2.30—D. F. Ball and anor. Before Mr. Shell, 11.30—Cecilia M. Fuller, discharge rulings.

LAND JUDGES.—Receiver Office. Mr. Foot, Examiner, 11. Applications for Directions—Garrett v. Semple, Mullall v. Watson, 11.30, Receiver's Accounts—Royal Bank v. Buckley, Darley and Co.; Ford-Hutchinson v. Graham (adjd. till 22nd inst.), Neilson and Dawson.

LAND REGISTRY.—Before the Registrar, 12—Andrew Somerville, application of Sarah Somerville.

EASTER SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—Notice to Jurors—The County and City Jurors, Special and Common, summoned for this day (Thursday), need not attend until Monday next, April 19th, when the panels will be called. For Monday, 19th April—City Special—Trench v. Sholdice (slander); Parkes and Co. v. Pierce and Co. (goods sold); Keys and anor. v. the North of Ireland Shipbuilding Co., and a counter-claim (possession). City Common—Coolan v. Kangley (assault); Hamilton v. Johnston (breach of warranty); Bryers v. Hanvey, and a counterclaim (promissory note); Cummins v. Coffey (slander); O'Mahony v. the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Co. (insurance on hay); Oakes v. Morton and ors. (false imprisonment); Biggar v. M'Donnell (breach of promise); Ramsey v. Trouton (crim. con.); Crowley v. Crowley (money lent).

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar or Chief Clerk, 11—Arrangement, prove debts, Meagher and Son; account comp., C.

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE RECORDER.—At 11. Ejectments—Garland v. O'Loughlin; Hayden v. Moloney; Iveagh Trust v. Palmer; Pemberton v. Finegan; Reynolds v. O'Connor; Stafford v. Byrne; Corfield v. O'Toole; Stamper v. Phillips; Martin v. Monaghan; Reid v. Ley; M'Loone v. O'Neill; Hegarty v. Lawler; M'Keever v. White; Murphy v. Doyle; Egan v. Fitzsimons; Guilbride v. Kearney; Smyth v. O'Brien; Stamper v. Leamy; Senior v. Poulter. Applications—A. and B. Taxis v. Bradlaw; Byrne v. Sherry; Balgie v. Cooper; Duff v. Murphy, G.S. and W. Rly. v. Carey; Hanlon v. Byrne; M'Entee v. Connolly; O'Donoghoe v. Tako; Robinson v. Cassidy; same v. Toftoll.

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.

The Managing Committee of the Stewart Institution for Imbecile Children met on Monday last at their offices, Molesworth street. Present:—J. William Copland, Esq. (chair); F. C. Earle Bland, Orlando P. Beater, LL.B., and John S. Russell, Esqrs.

The Medical Superintendent's report as to the health of the institution since last meeting was of a favourable character. He also reported as to the great difficulty experienced in getting the necessary supplies of coal required in the buildings, several pressing arrangements with regard to electric requirements being compulsorily held up for days at a time, causing continued inconvenience, when instructions were given for communicating with the Coal Controller as to relieving the difficulty. This and other troubles connected with Labour were retarding the management in a way never before experienced. Communications from contractors as to increased charges for supplies were read and considered; also several matters relating to administration. Applications for special admissions were dealt with and directions given. Accounts paid last month were vouched, and those now payable passed, cheques being drawn to the extent of £1,100. A letter from Sir William Fry, J.P., D.L., was read stating that owing to impending changes in his residence he would be obliged to tender his resignation as a member of the Committee. This announcement was received with very great regret, as Sir William had been a most active member of the Committee and greatly interested in the progress of the institution. A reply accordingly was directed to be sent. An election of children was ordered to be held at a date to be fixed, particulars to be duly advertised. The following annual subscriptions were announced:—Right Hon. Earl of Iveagh, J. W. Copland, Esq. (doubled), £2 2/- each; Sir Robert Hodson, Bart., Andrew Jameson, Esq., Mrs. M'Cullagh, £1 1/- each; Miss Lindesay and Miss Roe, 10/6 each. The following, per Miss Susan P. Hogg, Fintragh, Shrewsbury road, Hon. Secretary for Co. Dublin:—William Robertson, Esq., £5; Captain Sir Harold Nutting, Bart., William E. Purser, Henry P. Goodbody, William P. Geoghegan, Esqrs., Mrs. Howard Guinness, and Miss Goodbody, £2 2/- each; Right Hon. F. S. Wrench, Sir Stewart Woodhouse, M.D., Lady Holmes, Recorder of Belfast, Sir William Crawford, Fitzadam Millar, C. E. Jacob, C. Eason; F. W. Woods, "J. H. D.," Arthur Marrable, "F. D. D.," J. Hume Dudgeon, "W. K. D.," A. E. Trouton, "J. G.," L. C. Purser, J. M. Collies, LL.D., W. F. Bewley, Classon Porter, J. P. Goodbody, Esqrs., Mrs. R. Scovell, Mrs. French, Mrs. Rait Kerr, Mrs. Richard Goodbody, Mrs. S. Geoghegan, Mrs. R. Stokes, Miss H. Goodbody, Mrs. Wyatt, Miss Close, Miss Hogg, Miss S. M. Hogg, and Miss S. P. Hogg, £1 1/- each; "H. T. B.," H. T. Geoghegan, A. C. O'Sullivan, H. S. Fisher, Esqrs., Miss Pim (Lisburn), Mrs. Falls, Miss Perry, Miss Geoghegan, 10/6 each. The following, per Mrs. L. H. Goodbody, 1 Windsor road, Rathmines:—Messrs. Hill and Sons, Ltd., Messrs. Lett Bros., £2 2/- each; Cantrell and Cochrane, Ltd., W. and A. Gilbey, Ltd., D. Kellett, Ltd., W. Holmes, Ltd., C. W. Hely, J. B. Bogue, L. H. Goodbody, George R. Goodbody, C. G. Warner, H. A. Allen, J. D. Wardell, A. Hughes, Thomas Archer, Robert Stokes, Esqrs., Mrs. K. Bewley, £1 1/- each; Messrs. R. Atkinson and Co., Lady M'Laughlin, Dr. Purser, Dr. Torney, R. Swirles, J. W. Brittain, W. Malcomson, E. Weber Smyth, W. Swan, G. Elliott, G. A. Martin, J. E. Hilton, James Inglis, F. R. Ridgeway, Mrs. F. R. Ridgeway, Miss D. Ridgeway, Mrs. T. G. H. Green, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Tulloch, Mrs. Fox, Mrs. Crawley, Mrs. Monson, Mrs. Hinde, Mrs. T. Long, Miss Henshaw, Mrs. Colley, Joseph Dobbs, Esq., Mrs. Dobbs, Mrs. J. Hamilton Reid, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Lipsett, Mrs. James, Mrs. Smyth (Leeson Park), 10/6 each. The following, per Miss C. E. Davies, Llandaff terrace, Merrion road:—Lieutenant-Colonel Dawson, M.D., £1 1/-; R. W. Booth, Esq., Mrs. Archbold, and Miss C. R. Davies, 10/6 each. Per Miss Mabel E. Byrne, Rus-in-Urbe, Kingstown:—Miss Newsom, £1 1/-; Mrs. Newsom, Miss Jacob, and Misses Byrne, 10/6 each. Per Miss Adams, Clarinda Park:—Mrs. Morton, 10/6. Per Miss M. E. Bradshaw, Kenilworth square, Rathgar:—Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Smythe, Miss S. E. Bradshaw and Miss M. E. Bradshaw, 10/6 each. Per Miss Ida Carolin, 7 Upper Leeson street:—Mrs. E. A. Carolin, £5 5/-; "I. M. O.," £1 1/-. Per Mrs. Barnes, Sandycove:—Self, 10/6. Per Mrs. Moody, Kilmainham:—Mrs. Carson, Mr. J. W. Moody, 10/6 each. The following per Mrs. Jackson, Ballinlisk, Londonderry, Hon. Secretary, Co. Londonderry:—Messrs. Welch, Margetson and Co., Capt. C. W. Robinson, R. Lee Hogg, R. A. Wilson, A. Noble, Mrs. Stevenson (Knockan), Miss Wark, Mrs. Jackson, £1 1/- each; Mrs. Swan, £1; Rev. Canon McQuaide, Messrs. Holmes, Mullin and Dunn, J. Cooke and Co., Goligher and Roden, Wilson and Houston, Hamilton and Martin, J. and J. Cooke, Miss Stevenson (Myrtle terrace), Mrs. Batchen, Mrs. Towers, Mrs. O'Neill, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Boyce, Mrs. Osborne, R. Nimmon, W. B. Mullin, J. H. Pollock, E. G. Cary, David Wilson, Esqrs., 10/6 each. Per Mrs. Moore Munn, Lisleen, Derry:—Mrs. Trench (Limavady), £2 2/- (doubled); Capt. Macky, Mrs. S. A. Watt, A. M. Munn, E. M. Munn, Esqrs., and Mrs. Munn, 10/6 each. Per Mrs. Beckett, Claudy:—Rev. J. Beckett, Mrs. Donnell, Alex. Miller, John MacCulloch, W. D. Roberts, Esqrs., 10/6 each. Per Miss Bruce, Derry:—Mrs. A. H. Reed, £1 1/-; A. C. Campbell, 10/6. Per Miss McConnell, Derry:—Miss MacKillip, Mrs. Ross Hastings, Mrs. Corscaden, 10/6 each. Per Rev. J. Blair, Manse, Milford, Co. Donegal:—Rev. J. Blair, Mrs. John Blair, Miss May Blair, Miss A. C. Blair, Mr. R. A. McCloy (Ballykelly), Mrs. S. Cresswell, Mr. Joseph Cresswell, Mrs. W. M. McConn, Mrs. Stewart, Mr. Robert Donaldson (Limavady), 10/6 each. The following per Mrs. David Stevenson, Collon House, Derry:—Sir R. Anderson, Capt. J. C. Herdman, Trevisa A. Clarke, Esq., Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Chadwick, Mrs. Robert Smyth, Mrs. Beart, and Mrs. D. Stevenson, £1 1/- each; Right Rev. 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Byrne (collection), £3 9/6; per Mrs. Jackson (collection), £3; per Miss C. E. Davies (collection), £2 0/6; per Miss Adams (collection), £2 9/6; per Mrs. Moynes (collection), £2 12/6; per Mrs. Williams (collection), 18/-; per Mrs. D. Stevenson (collection), £1; Mrs. Beckett (collection), £1 15/6; per Mrs. West (collection), £1 3/6; per Mrs. Barnes (collection), £1 3/-; per Miss Bruce (collection), 13/-; per Miss G. Leech (collection), 10/-; per Mrs. Munn (collection), 5/-; per Miss McConnell (collection), 5/-. The Committee earnestly call attention to the great need of further help, as there is still a heavy overdraft due their bankers. Donations qualifying as Presidents, Vice-Presidents, and Governors are badly required, and the Committee would particularly urge the desirability of intending testators keeping in view the claims of the Institution, which has no grants of any kind. Contributions will be thankfully received by any member of the Committee, or at the office. 125 pupils in Institution.

CHURCH OF IRELAND UNITED MISSIONARY THANKOFFERING SERVICE.

By the kind invitation of the Dean of St. Patrick's, and with the warmest sanction of the Archbishop of Dublin, there will be a united missionary thank-offering Service in St. Patrick's Cathedral on Friday, May 21st, at 8 p.m. The preacher will be Bishop Azariah, of Dornakal, South India. The Service will be unique in the history of the Church of Ireland and of the five societies co-operating—the Church Missionary Society, South American Society, Colonial and Continental Society, Church of England Zenana Missionary Society, and the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. Delegates from parishes which have either already contributed, or will do so on that occasion, are invited to be present. Most of the bishops have expressed their intention of being present, and have warmly commended the movement. Bishop Azariah has proved himself an able and inspiring leader, and will speak of the problems that the Church in India is facing at the present time.

THE SICK AND INDIGENT ROOMKEEPERS' SOCIETY.

As will be seen by our advertising columns to-day the annual general meeting of the members and supporters of the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society (Incorporated) will be held to-day at 12 o'clock in the Boardroom, 2 Palace street, Dublin, under the presidency of the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, when a report and statement of last year's accounts will be submitted. This non-sectarian charity has maintained its great record for good work amongst the poor during the past year, and it is to be hoped that its friends will show by their presence at the annual meeting their appreciation of its efforts.

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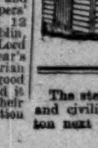
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SPORTING NEWS.

NEWMARKET MEETING—YESTERDAY.

A ROYAL VICTORY.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

Racing at Newmarket yesterday was held under boisterous weather conditions, and the attendance showed a small increase. The improvement also extended to the sport, which was resumed with a stylish victory on the part of Madame Varipati's Polisson, which realised 1,150 guineas at the subsequent auction. The dark Polumetis made an auspicious *début* in winning the Column Produce Stakes in the manner of a high-class three-year-old, and he will doubtless be heard of again. Plymouth Rock made an example of the opposition for the Wood Ditton Stakes, and he may, after all, justify his purchase last year by Sir J. Buchanan at the big price of 6,000 gns. Kentish Cob outstayed his ten rivals for the Babraham Plate in an exceedingly close finish of heads, and this good-looking son of Sunstar should secure other long-distance prizes for Manton. His Majesty was represented in the Granby Plate by a racing-like colt named John Green, who won with more in hand than the two lengths victory might imply. Although Cicerole was never headed in her race for the Severals Plate, she had to put all in to stall off Caligula from the distance. Mintleaf won the Apprentices' Handicap from end to end. Details:—

1.30.—TWO-Y.O. SELLING PLATE, £200. 5 f.
Mme. M. Varipati's ch. c. POLISSON, by Rockflint—Bookmuslin, 8-4 .... Butchers 1
Mr. S. Dennis' CONFEDERATE, 8-4 .. Donoghue 2
Mr. L. Gay's FORDWYCH, 8-4 .... Childs 3

Also ran—Prerogative (F. Leach), Laranja (F. Bullock), Midnight (Slade), First Gate (Earl), Scotland Wood (Hulme), Mythology (G. Colling), Simple Simon (Shatwell), Attache (Garnett), Awake (Wragg), Sun Disc (Soulby), Vamaraf (Wedgwood), Cube (A. Balding), First Out (A. Clark). (Winner trained by Butchers.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Fordwych, 100 to 30 Confederate, 4 to 1 POLISSON, 10 to 1 First Oak, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a length and a half; half a length.

Winner sold to Mr. de Mestre for 1,150 gns.

2.0.—COLUMN PRODUCE STAKES, £20 each, £300 added. Three years. 1 m.
Lord Londonderry's ch. g. POLUMETIS, by Polymelus—Permain, 8-9 .... F. Lane 1
Lord Jersey's CORALIE, 8-0 .... Whalley 2
Sir E. Cassel's VIVALDI, 8-9 .... E. Wheatley *
Sir H. Meux's TORELORE, 8-1 ...... G. Hulme *

Also ran—Devizes (Slade), Stedanda (Childs), Stronghold (Shatwell), Harrier (Colling), Elson (Donoghue), Gattamelata (F. Bullock), Deimel (Brennan), Outlook (V. Smyth), Maori Queen (Griggs). (Winner trained by Dewhurst.)

*Dead heat for third place.

Betting—13 to 8 agst. POLUMETIS, 11 to 4 Harrier, 6 to 1 Coralie, 100 to 8 Elson, 100 to 7 each Stedanda and Gattamelata, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; half a length.

2.30—WOOD DITTON STAKES, £5 each, with £300 added. 3-yr-olds. 1 m.
Sir J. Buchanan's ch. c. PLYMOUTH ROCK, by Rockflint—Lady Birdie, 8-12 .... F. Bullock 1
Capt. J. Homfray's VALE, 8-9 .... V. Smyth 2
Mr. F. Hardy's HOPRAND, 8-12 .... Donoghue 3

Also ran:—Bantry (F. Slade), Cannon Ball (G. Hulme), Charge (Brookman), Indian Gauze (Leader), Bobs (Rickaby), Royal Blue (F. Fox), Damar (F. Leach), Germinate (H. Robbins), Saddlemark (F. Lane), Nectarine (Chaddock). (Winner trained by F. Darling.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. PLYMOUTH ROCK, 4 to 1 Hoprand, 6 to 1 Germinate, 8 to 1 each Vale and Damar, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by six lengths; two.

3.0.—BABRAHAM PLATE (handicap), £1,000. 1¼ m.
Mr. W. Cazalet's b. c. KENTISH COB, by Sunstar—Maid o' Kent, 4, 8-9 .... J. Childs 1
Lord Wolverton's ROWLAND, 4, 7-2 .. F. Huxley 2
Sir G. Murray's SKYRAKER, 4, 8-5, car. 8-5 .... Carslake 3

Also ran—Bridgewater (G. Hulme), Lahloo (Whalley), Frank Webber (Donoghue), Dorset (F. Lane), Splutter (Crickmere), Marl (Spear), Land Girl (Robbins), Footplate (Fox). (Winner trained by Taylor.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Skyraker, 4 to 1 Bridgewater, 7 to 1 Frank Webber, 8 to 1 each KENTISH COB and Marl, 9 to 1 Rowland, 10 to 1 Footplate, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by a head; a short head.

3.30.—GRANBY PLATE, £200, and £15 each. Two-y.o. 5 f.
His Majesty's ch. c. JOHN GREEN, by Greenback—Seraphine 8-6 .... H. Jones 1
Sir R. Jardine's PERFECT DAY, 8-6 .. T. Griggs 2
Sir G. Bullough's PEACE DECLARED, 8-6 Slade 3

Also ran—Yokohama c. (E. Wheatley), Solemn Silence c. (Piper), Firefay (Fox), Waterbell (Wedgewood), Wrangle (Donoghue), Pallas (Jellis), Carton Pierre (J. Leach), Bakewell (Barnett), Juli (F. Lane), Anadem (J. Childs), Atlantic Flight (W. Earl), Rockroi (F. Leach), Petty Cury (F. Templeman), Thumerstone (F. Bullock). (Winner trained by R. Marsh.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. JOHN GREEN, 4 to 1 Wrangle, 5 to 1 Petty Cury, 11 to 2 Perfect Day, 100 to 8 Anadem, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by two lengths; one length. Pallas threw his jockey when the tapes went up, and took no part in the race.

4.0—SEVERALS STAKES, £10, £300 added. For 3-yr-olds. 5 f.
Baron E. de Rothschild's b. f. CICEROLE, by Cicero—Casetta, 8-5 .... G. Childs 1
Lord Wilton's CALIGULA, 7-12 .... Garnett 2
Sir E. Cassel's HEROD PHILIP, 7-12 .... E. Wheatley 3

Also ran—Dark Dawn (G. Colling), Polignac (Fox), Northern Light (Brennan), Brilliant Jester (Whalley), Paladin (G. Hulme), Princox (Donoghue), Buzancy (Flanagan), Wanton (W. Saxby), Novel (Ledson), Poldhu (Shatwell). (Winner trained by Watson.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Dark Dawn, 5 to 1 Caligula, 11 to 2 CICEROLE, 7 to 1 Princox, 8 to 1 Paladin, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by a neck; 3 lengths.

4.30—APPRENTICES' HANDICAP, £106. 7 f.
Mr. F. Benson's b. g. MINTLEAF, by Spearmint—Spring Chicken, 5, 7-11 .... Sayers 1
Mr. W. Savill's FLOTTA, 3, 6-3 .... Hunt 2
Mr. C. Howard's Geometry, 3, 6-13 .... Green 3

Also ran:—Exford (May), Fair Helen (Bowman), Sanitarium (Brookman), Lady Sibell (J. Mason), Special (Swaine), Marie Therese (J. Brook), Lady Dibs (Perryman), Mammon (R. Jones), Badminton (Higgs). (Winner trained by Hyams.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Exford, 11 to 2 each Flotta and Lady Sibell, 7 to 1 Sanitarium, 8 to 1 each MINTLEAF, Geometry, and Mammon, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; half a length.

PROGRAMME.

1.0—FLYING HANDICAP, £300. 5 f.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
King Sol	6	9	0	Konky	3	6	12
Greenroom	6	8	6	Dark Dawn	3	6	12
Clipstone	4	8	4	Irish King	4	6	12
Dumb Waiter	6	8	0	Alderton	4	6	10
Lady Peregrine	4	7	11	Old Woman	4	6	10
Firacus	3	7	11	Damaged Goods	4	6	8
The President	4	7	10	Wee Mon	4	6	8
Tarvie	3	7	9	Herakles	3	6	7
Lord Archer	6	7	6	Saintly Sinner	3	6	5
Twincat	6	7	6	Sakuntala	3	6	5
Princess Margaret	3	7	6	Arclight	3	6	3
Tagrag	6	7	6	Pick Your Way	3	6	3
Bright News	5	7	[illegible]	Air Sprite	3	6	2
Sunny Rhyme	4	7	[illegible]	Lineage	3	6	0
Love Note	4	7	[illegible]	Barley Flour	3	6	0
Longtail	4	7	0	Stockinette	3	6	0
Solo Bridge	3	7	0				

1.30—A 2-Y.O. PLATE (DIV. I.), £200. 5 f.

	st	lb		st	lb
Toilet	8	5	Warrington	7	10
Fort Royal	8	4	Miss Keen colt, by Hounam	7	10
Oxendon	8	3	Hampstead Heath	7	10
Walton's Choice	8	0	Marine	7	10
Grande Place	8	0	Eastern Hero	7	10
Chummy	8	0	Kousma	7	10
Wine Taster colt, by Stornoway	8	0	St. Rosa colt, by Joe Chamberlain	7	10
Volcanic	7	10	White Fang	7	10
Medicine Man	7	10	Intrepid	7	10
Glenaster	7	10	Mystic Flame	7	10
Fragrant colt, by Morena	7	10	Tiger Rose	7	7
Shades of Night	7	10	Knockalt gelding, by Captivation	7	7
Golden Legend colt, by Oliver Goldsmith	7	10	Honeysuckle	7	7
Benula	7	10	Miradora filly, by Cylden	7	7
Introduction colt, by Ambassador	7	10	Confidential filly, by Thrush	7	7
Puck	7	10	Kampala	7	7
Tavistock	7	10	Genuine	7	7
Bucket	7	10	La Duse	7	7
Vaddy	7	10	Robina	7	7

2.0—TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE (DIV. 2), £200. 5 f.

	st	lb		st	lb
Silver Onyx	8	5	Quicker	7	10
Volunteer	8	0	Speculator	7	10
Spinney	8	1	Panorama	7	10
Nova Aquilae	8	0	Scooter	7	7
Grape Shoot geld., by Marcus	7	11	Vincula filly, by Hapsburg	7	7
Diana	7	11	Saintly Lady filly, by Rock Flint	7	7
Lady Nell	7	11	Poor Anna	7	7
Chicken Broth	7	11	Phaierian	7	7
Proud Mary	7	11	Busy Joan	7	7
Beechgrove	7	11	Khamsa	7	7
Embassy	7	10	Catling	7	7
Delagoa Bay colt, by Hapsburg	7	10	Blue Girdle	7	7
Grabette filly, by Simon Square	7	10	Cypriana	7	7
Flynet	7	10	Greenspray	7	7
Nightwing	7	10	Tappit Hen	7	7
George II.	7	10	New Zealander	7	7
Cranford colt, by Rosendale	7	10	Clare House filly, by Lonawand	7	7

2.30—CRAVEN STAKES, £500 added to £10 each. 3-y.o. 1 m.

	st	lb		st	lb
Archaic	9	6	Governor-General	8	5
Paragon	9	6	Royal Mount	8	5
Envoy	9	6	Lord Quex	8	5
Silvern	9	6	Joseph the First	8	5
Prince Galahad	9	6	West Kent	8	5
Ponteland	9	6	Northern Light	8	5
He Goes	9	3	Bantry	8	5
Great Seal	9	3	Manton	8	5
March Along	9	3	Cold Steel	8	5
Spearwort	9	3	Mammon	8	5
Abbots Trace	9	3	Polyact	8	5
Marcia Blanche	9	3	Condor	8	5
Woodrow	9	3	Star of Hope	8	5
Chrysopolis	9	3	Greenshank	8	5
Great Joy	9	0	Napoli	8	5
Marromeo	9	0	Palomides	8	5
Swynburn	9	0	Yutoi	8	5
Wimasu	9	0	Paladin	8	5
Tredennord	8	13	King's Mount	8	5
Old Chris	8	13	Greek Vine	8	5
Aldersey	8	10	Rochford	8	5
Dutch Flight	8	10	Zerbino	8	5
Meavaig Bay	8	10	Novello	8	5
Lady Phoebe	8	10	Figdale	8	5
Bacton Lad	8	6	Morganatic Marriage	8	5
Daylight Patrol	8	5	Colcorion	8	2
Glendoe	8	5	Canny Lady	8	2
Muscadin	8	5	Roselet	8	2
Sunfringe	8	5	Polumetis	8	2
Sorrel	8	5	Naughty Girl filly	8	2
Junissimus	8	5	Llama	8	2
Lycopodium	8	5	Shy Princess	8	2
Polignac	8	5			

3.0—3-Y.O. HANDICAP, £300, added to £5 each. 7 f.

	st	lb		st	lb
Ponteland	9	0	Concussive	7	10
Mount Royal	8	8	Indenture	7	9
Carboronadum	8	8	Maid of the Mountains	7	9
Souviens Toi	8	7			
Solo Bridge	8	6	Dutch Flight	7	9
Marromeo	8	6	Lawn	7	9
Lucentio	8	4	The Badger	7	9
Sorghum	8	4	Arrogance	7	9
Wildbeind	8	2	Air Sprite	7	9
Burberry	8	2	Verbena	7	8
Sunny Princess	8	2	Rapiere	7	6
Gwenillian	8	0	Bracket	7	6
Jasper	8	0	Thealby	7	2
Aerolite	7	11	Captivating Stella	6	13
Welsh Woman	7	11	Fool Proof	6	12
Royal Blue	7	11	Tullamore	6	12
Bola	7	10	Marcia	6	12
Periosteum	7	10	Rivetter	6	7
The Stickler	7	10	Bellatana	6	7
Adorna	7	10	Courifield	6	7

3.30—APRIL PLATE, £300. 1¼ m.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
Pesaro	4	9	3	St. Ermia	4	8	0
Gripfast	4	9	3	Lydie White	4	7	11
Rossini	5	8	10	Irish Lace	4	7	11
Roseacre	5	8	7	Steady, March	3	6	13
Willumsen	a	8	0	Tom Neilson	3	6	13
Yellow Bedstraw	a	8	0	Bracket	3	6	10
				Killiney	3	6	10

ARRIVALS.—Nova, Aquilae, Nightwing, Fagrag, Stockingette, Souvens Toi, Burbury, Dutch Flight, Prince Galahad, Swynburn, Northern Light, Manton, Paladin and Novello.

Newmarket Scratchings.—T.Y.O. (Div. I.)—Shades of Night, Toilet, Chimney, Warrington, Genuine, Intrepid. T.Y.O. (Div. II.)—Volunteer, Blue Girdle, Sans Fonte. Craven Stakes—Polignac, Great Joy, Bantry, Bacton Lad, Marromey, Lycopodium, Sorrel, Cold Steel, Polyact, Ponteland, Greek Vine, Naughty Girl filly, Meavaig Bay, Greenshand, Condor, Fisdale, Aldersey, He Goes. Three-Year-Old Handicap—Sunny Princess, Jasper, Indenture. April Plate—Pesaro, Yellow Bedstraw. Flying Handicap—Stockinette.

CHELTENHAM MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

2.0—CHARLTON PARK H'CAP HURDLE, 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
Tom Berney	a	12	7	Seventy-five	a	11	7
Flocon	a	12	7	Brunswick	a	11	6
Adequate	6	12	7	Sultus	4	11	4
Salchi's First	5	12	4	Responsible	a	11	0
W.P.	5	12	4	Murray Bridge	a	10	13
Dean's Grange	a	12	2	Brigadier-General	6	10	9
Dismount	6	11	13				
Truck	a	11	12	Geordie	4	10	5
Prickly	a	11	8				

2.30—SWINDON H'CAP 'CHASE, 200 sovs. 3 m.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
Rathleague	a	12	7	Rillet	a	11	8
Belstead	a	12	4	Castlewrixon Lad	a	11	7
Bath	a	12	2				
More Rain	a	12	2	Familiar II.	a	11	3
Gay Mac	a	12	0	Hillock	6	11	0
Balcorris	a	12	0	Kippeen	a	10	13
The Mate	5	12	0	United	a	10	13
Faba	a	11	13	Sweet Tipperary	a	10	9
Bruno	6	11	9	Section Leader	a	10	7
Chang	a	11	8	Owen John	a	10	3

3.0—AMATEUR RIDERS' H'CAP HURDLE, 150 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
Whiteboy	a	12	7	Nubian	5	11	5
Sybarite	a	12	2	Carol Singer	a	11	5
Antipater	a	12	1	Walton Heath	a	11	0
Mascombe	5	12	0	Porton	6	10	13
Palmer's Hill	a	12	0	Sunnycroft	a	10	13
Serban	6	11	13	Down Under	a	10	12
Mayhap	6	11	11	Tom Berney	a	10	12
Octoroon Lad	6	11	11	Flocon	a	10	11
Snae Fell	6	11	11	Floral Tribute	5	10	11
Kaffir King	6	11	10	Loblolly	a	10	10
Marengo	a	11	10	Ankordine	6	10	9
Rippling Water	a	11	6				

3.30—PRESTBURY PARK H'CAP HURDLE, 500 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
Killesher	6	12	7	Nubian (inc. 5lb. ex.)	5	11	12
Blanco	5	12	4				
Voxol	5	12	3	Mayhap	6	11	11
A.A.	5	12	2	Tarazia (inc. 5lb. ex.)	5	11	10
Lukeston	a	12	2				
Mascombe	5	12	1	Hagiology	4	11	1

4.0—JUVENILE H'CAP 'CHASE, 125 sovs. 2 m. 100 yds.

	Age	st	lb		Age	st	lb
Serban	6	12	7	O'Flyn	5	11	11
Vaulx	6	12	4	Great Crime	5	11	3
Egad	5	12	2	The Heir	6	10	12
Bucephalus	6	12	1	Procurator	4	10	12
Lavender Kid	5	12	1	Struan	5	10	11
Pencoed	5	11	13	Blazing Corn	6	10	11

4.30—GLOUCESTERSHIRE NOVICES' HURDLE, 200 sovs. 2 m.

	Age		Age
Summer Thyme	a	Morecoy	a
Ammunition	5	Maid of Erin	5
Nubian	5	Lock All	5
Burly	4	Snug	4
Dark Magic	4	Habton	4
Quilcha	4	Magic Lady	4
Mima	4	Investment	6
Public Benefit	4	Bubbly	5
Rossini	5	Dinah Morris	4
Fairyform	a	Snae Fell	6

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Run Wednesday, April 21. 1¼ miles.

7 to 1 Furious, 4, 7-13 (inc. 10lb. extra) (t. & o.) .... Woodland.
15 to 2 Viceroy, 4, 8-2 (t. & o.) .... R. Marsh.
100 to 12 Brigand, 6, 7-11 (t. & o.) .... Pratt.
100 to 8 Sir Berkeley, 5, 7-7 (t. & o.) .... M. Hartigan.
100 to 8 Rizzio, 4, 7-10 (t. & o.) .... F. Hartigan.
100 to 6 Clarion, 4, 7-9 (t. & o.) .... Dewhurst.

SEWELL'S PUNCHESTOWN SALES.

As was announced yesterday, the dates of Messrs. Sewell's Punchestown Sales have been changed to to-morrow and Saturday. The sales will commence each morning at 10.15 and conclude at about 1 o'clock, thus allowing ample time for those attending the Repository to get to Leopardstown and Phoenix Park Races. The lots to be submitted comprise a large number of high-class hunters, in addition to bloodstock, and those on the look out for the right stamp of horse should experience no difficulty in fulfilling their requirements.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Poethlyn and Lutteur III. left Lewes on Tuesday to fulfil steeplechasing engagements in France.

Winsome Ciss, the winner of the Fitzwilliam Stakes at Newmarket on Tuesday, was trained by R. Colling at Newmarket.

Walter Hagen, the open golf champion of the United States, is leaving for England on May 21st to take part in the British Championship and other tournaments.

The Committee of Tattersall's and the Newmarket rooms, yesterday elected Mr. T. P. King to succeed the late Col. Fludyer as chairman and Lord Dalmeny and Captain the Hon. Lionel Montague to fill vacancies on the Committee.

Poethlyn is expected to arrive at Maisons-Laffitte in the stables of Manby, who will finish his preparation for the Paris Grand Steeplechase, for which the horse will be one of the £100 post entries. Poethlyn, says "Le Jockey," will, in order to make acquaintance with the Auteuil track, run in the Prix du Point du Jour on the 22nd inst.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Epsom Meeting.—Great Metropolitan—Happy Man. The Oaks—Buzz. Westminster Plate—Spanish Princess filly. 2-Year-Old Plate, Newmarket—Blue Girdle. Derby Meeting.—Osmaston Plate—Godella, Spanish Princess filly. Chaddesden Plate—Star of Hope. Quarndon Handicap—Macready. Derbyshire Plate—Kroo Boy II. Elvaston Castle Plate—Renally. Miscellaneous—Scottish Grand National, Eglinton—Gerald L. Eglinton Hunt engagements—Prince Francis, Telescope, and Misform. Pelham Stakes, Brocklesby—Telescope. Brocklesby Plate, Brocklesby—Noble Guard. Leeds Handicap, Pontefract—Tar Baby. Cheltenham—Llangollen. All engagements—Wrecker. All engagements in Household Brigade Steeplechases—Agnes III.

INCOME TAX ON STALLIONS' FEES.

At the request of the Irish Horsebreeders', Owners' and Trainers' Association, Captain Herbert Dixon, M.P., opened up negotiations with the Chancellor of the Exchequer with a view to the reception by him of a deputation from that body. The deputation was charged with a mission to represent to the Chancellor the disastrous effect which the taxation of the profits arising from stallions' fees would have on the Irish horsebreeding industry, but the Chancellor has declined to receive the deputation. Writing to Captain Dixon, Mr. Stanley Baldwin said:—"I have inquired into the case put forward by the Irish Horsebreeders', Owners', and Trainers' Association, and I find that horsebreeders, in being asked to pay income tax under Schedule D in respect of their profits and gains, are in no sense being singled out for special taxation, but are, in common with the rest of the community, being called upon to pay income tax on no more than the amount of their profits and gains computed in accordance with the provision of the Income Tax Acts. I understand that the correctness of the charge under Schedule D was upheld by the House of Lords in January, 1919, in a Scotch case—Malcolm v. Lockhart (1919), A. C. 463—and that this decision has recently been followed by the Irish High Court in a case—McLaughlin v. Mrs. Blanche Bailey—now under appeal to the Court of Appeal in Ireland. In these circumstances, the Chancellor of the Exchequer asks me to say that he does not feel that any useful purpose would be served by his receiving a deputation from the Association."

CHESTER MEETING—Wednesday, May 5th.

CHESTER CUP (handicap) of 2,550 sovs. 2¼ m. (ACCEPTANCES.) (Weights raised 6 lbs.)

Ivanhoe, a, 9-3; Movein, 5, 9-5; Gay Lord, 4, 8-8; Happy Man, 4, 8-8; Golden Melody, a, 8-4; Elsinore, 4, 8-2; Chat Tor, 4, 7-13; Rock Dew, 5, 7-13; Nan Coch, a, 7-13; Good Night, 4, 7-11; Lake Van, 4, 7-10; Heliogabalus, 5, 7-7; Our Stephen, 4, 7-6; Baal Gad, 4, 7-5; Celandine, 4, 7-5; John Jackett, a, 7-4; Hedu, a, 7-0; Splutter, 4, 7-0; Skager Rack, 5, 6-12; Kaboodles, 4, 6-12; Jenny Jones, a, 6-10; Land Girl, 4, 6-4; Miss Madcap, 5, 6-10; Nubian, 5, 6-10; St. George, 4, 6-9.

LEOPARDSTOWN SPRING MEETING, 1920.

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), APRIL 16th.
FIRST RACE 2.30 O'CLOCK.

Members' special train leaves Harcourt street Station at 1.45 p.m., and returns from Members' Platform after racing is over.

Gentlemen (only non-residents in Ireland) will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure on the introduction of a member and a payment of 25/- per day; Ladies, 5/6 per day.

Combined Tickets for Course and Stands will be on Sale at the Booking Offices at Harcourt street Station on day of races, and at Messrs. Brindley's, Eustace street, Dublin, before the day of races.

Race Cards, at 1/- each, on sale in Dublin and at Offices on the Course.

To avoid congestion at the Ticket Offices on Course, the public are requested to purchase the Combined Tickets for Course and Stands at Harcourt street Station.—(Advt.)

(ADVERTISEMENT.)

DIAMOND—No change.

"BOOT ECONOMY."

SPORTSMEN should have their boots soled with "CALLOX" Chrome Sole Leather, specially recommended for Waterproof Hardware. See Registered Brand—CALLOX—on every sole. Manufactured by O'CALLAGHAN and SON, LTD., Limerick, Cork, and Belfast. Beware of Imitations.—(Advt.)

GOLF.

RATHFARNHAM—(LADIES' BRANCH).—Competition for Challenge Cup postponed. Tuesday, April 20th—Eclectic competition for prize presented by Mrs. R. Benson. Choose opponents; post entries. Tuesday, May 4th—Competition for prize presented by Mrs. R. Millner. Choose opponents. Wednesday, May 5th—Ladies' open eclectic foursomes, in aid of combined Dublin Hospitals' Fund. Choose partners and opponents.

THE ISLAND.—The ladies' competition, fixed for to-day, has been postponed.

BIRR GOLF CLUB.

Open Meeting, April 26th and following days. For Programmes apply Hon. Sec., Golf Club, Birr. Accommodation can be had at Dooly's Hotel at reduced terms.—(Advt.)

BOXING.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIPS.

There was a record entry for the Public Schools' Boxing Championships, which were decided yesterday at the Polytechnic, London, and two rings had to be requisitioned from 10.30 so as to get the preliminary bouts completed in time to have the semi-finals out on about 5.30.

I. Pitman, the famous Eton athlete and a previous title holder in the public schools' boxing championships, appeared in the middle-weights, but was beaten on points in the first series by a distinctly useful boxer in D. S. Thompson (Oundle). Details:—

Middle-weight (11st. 4lb. and under)—First ties—D. S. Thompson (Oundle) beat I. Pitman (Eton) on points; E. H. Cave (Rugby) beat J. G. Hobbs (Sir William Turner's School, Coatham) on points.

Bantam-weight (8st. 4lb.)—First ties—E. Williamson (St. Cuthbert's, Worksop) beat K. Meckley (Bedford); K. M'Naughton (Rossall) beat A. Cooper (King Alfred's School, Wantage); L. Dove (Emmanuel) beat L. Netting (City of London); W. Vaughan (Harrow) beat R. Kershaw (Rugby); J. Ewing (Bedford) beat A. Hyland (Queen Elizabeth's School, Cranbrook); S. Burton (The College, Eastbourne) beat F. Maynall (Aldenham, Elstree); G. Pfahl (King's School, Peterboro') beat M. Musters (H.M.S., Worcester); J. H. Beattie (Rugby) a bye. Second Series—Williamson beat Beattie on points; Dove beat M'Naughton on points; Ewing beat Vaughan; Pfahl beat Burton on points.

Feather-weight (9st. and under)—First Series—B. Stevenson (St. Cuthbert's, Worksop) beat G. Dutnell (Queen Elizabeth's, Cranbrook); H. Clifford (St. Paul's) beat H. Haddon (Bedford); H. Green (Rossall) beat A. Coles (B.C.S.S., Windsor); L. Inde (Aldenham, Elleetree) beat K. Eccles (Charterhouse); H. Smith (Wilson G.S.) beat R. Hyder (City of London). Second Series—W. M'Millan (Latymer Upper School) beat E. Love (Gresham's School, Holt) on points; B. Hackett (R.G.S. Worcester) beat T. Gahan (Latymer Upper School); E. F. Goddard (Aldenham, Elletree) beat J. Storrs (Epsom College) in first round; J. Howland (Sir W. Barlase School, Marlow) beat D. Cree (Wimbledon College) in second round; W. Streliey (Allen's Glen) beat G. Cuming (King Alfred's, Worksop) in first round; Clifford beat Stevenson on points; Green beat Inde on points; Smith beat A. Wandslow (Eton) in second round.

Light-weight (10st.)—First Series—P. Dodwell (H.M.S. Worcester) beat S. Simpson (Rossall); S. Meikle (Aldenham, Ellestree) beat D. Hole (Bedford). Byes—E. Burnett (Queen Elizabeth's School, Cranbrook), K. Beddington (Rugby), L. Mann (Rugby), R. Harvey (Charterhouse), F. Bareau (Dulwich College), H. Partridge (Sherborne), M. Malley (Dover College), E. Williamson (St. Cuthbert's, Worksop), J. Grundy (Emmanuel), S. Bowie (Queen Elizabeth's, Cranbrook), B. Pilgrim (City of London), J. Buchanan (Harrow), H. Long (King Edward's, Bath). Second Series—Malley beat Harvey in first round; Grundy beat F. Deamer (Tottenham G.S.); Bareau beat Beddington in first round; Buchanan beat Pilgrim on points; Mann beat Burnett; Long beat Williamson in second round; Bowie beat Partridge in first round; Dodwell beat Meikle in second round.

Welter-weights—First Series—R. Kerr (Bedford) beat R. Quayle (Charterhouse); S. Bundy (Oundle) beat J. Scott (Aldenham, Elletree); R. Draper (King Edward's, Bath) beat F. Wright (Bedford Modern); O. Jerman (Rugby) beat H. Downey (City of London); H. Ruthven (Harrow) beat A. Maynard (Gresham's, Holt).

We are not "out" for Prohibition. Yet WELCO Cocoa improves condition. Try a ¼lb. tin to-day—9d.—(Advt.)

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

NEWMARKET, WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Backers have no more reason to congratulate themselves than on the opening day, although as a rule they were more often near the mark. A finer finish than that of Joe Childs on Kentish Cob for the Babraham Plate cannot be imagined. I learn that unless Manton satisfies Taylor in the race for the Craven Stakes to-morrow, Childs will be released to ride Lacrosse in the Guineas, a fortnight hence. A good field, numerically, is expected to contest the "Craven." I think the issue rests between Prince Galahad, Silvern, and Manton, although at the time of writing, I am without advice that Silvern has been despatched from Weyhill. As matters stand, I must leave the issue to

MANTON AND PRINCE GALAHAD,

with a slight preference for the "Prince." Manton should at least be placed. For the minor races, my selections are:—

Flying Handicap—King Sol.
Two Years' Plate (Div. 1)—Bucket or Port Royal.
Two Years' Plate (Div. 2)—Cranford colt.
Three Year Handicap—Mount Royal; if absent, Rapiere.
April Plate—Lambton's selected.

HUNTING.

THE MEATH HOUNDS.
FINISH OF THE SEASON.

The season of 1919-20, under the Mastership of Brigadier-General Martin Powell, who carried the horn throughout, concluded on Saturday with the meet at Dunsany Castle. Hounds hunted on 90 days, during which they killed 30 brace of foxes, and marked to ground 52½ brace. This includes cub-hunting. There were only three days stopped by frost.

Scent was only moderate during the cub-hunting and the earlier weeks of the regular season, but from the first week in December and afterwards, notably in February and March, it improved considerably. There were some very fine runs, one from Ballinlough to Jonesboro' (two hours), making a point of 11½ miles, but it was almost altogether a hound hunt. The gorse covert of Pellatstown took pride of place, with four first-rate straight hunts, then coming Meadstown, with three, over practically the same line, a stiff one. Another deserving of notice came from Rathnally gorse, whilst the run from Boltown to Loughcrew in February (1 hour and 25 minutes) sufficed for the day, as did another very fine gallop from Leslie's gorse to Townley Hall. On the whole, it was probably the best season since the record one in the late nineties. The country, too, owing to the favourable winter and spring, rode right well.

On Saturday, when there was a large field, the Master began with the Dunsany railway wood, hounds hunting a fox over the road to that bordering Lord Dunsany's cricket ground, and into the plantation of Athronan, from which they ran back to the railway wood to ground. Nothing else of note came till Mr. Andrew Watt's covert (Brady's Wood) at Dowestown was drawn, when the pack hunted through the covert and round by the house to the vicinity of Bellinter Bridge, scent failing. Found next in the plantation at Dowestown Crossroads, ran to the Bellinter Kennel Wood, the fox then crossing the Boyne to Clinton's Wood, and over the two roads into Ardsallagh. He went on near Mr. A. McCann's house, and back to Mr. Foley's farm and Clinton's Wood, again crossing the Boyne to Bellinter, where he beat hounds after a good hunt, which finished the day and season.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY.

PALMERSTON F.C.—The annual dinner, which was to have taken place this evening, has been postponed, and will be held at the Dolphin Hotel on Thursday, April 22nd, at 7 p.m. Members please note.

Bective Rangers 2nd v. Dublin University 2nd (Leinster Junior League Final).—This match, which was fixed for yesterday at Lansdowne road, was postponed.

ASSOCIATION.

DUBLIN INSURANCE ATHLETIC UNION.

Members of the above should note that the cup tie between the Royal Insurance Co. and North British and Mercantile Insurance Co., listed for today, has been postponed to 22nd inst.

CRICKET.

CLONTARF CLUB.

The following officers have been elected for the coming season:—President, Mr. J. Foxall; Captain, Mr. S. Feary; Vice-Captain, Mr. S. H. Crawford; Hon. Secretary, Mr. S. Feary, Hollybrook Park, Clontarf (telephone—85 Clontarf); Hon. Treasurer, Mr. S. Lewis, 53 Hollybrook road, Clontarf. The ground at Castle avenue, Clontarf, will be open from Monday, 26th inst. Fixtures have been arranged in the Senior and Junior Leagues for the coming season.

BOARD OF TRADE RETURNS

HIGH RATIO OF INCREASED EXPORTS.

The Board of Trade returns dealing with our foreign trade for March show that imports as compared with the corresponding month last year expanded by nearly 71 millions to 176½ millions, while exports at 103½ millions were 50½ millions higher. The higher ratio of increase in the case of exports is matter for satisfaction. Of the gain in imports 10½ millions was contributed by grain and flour, and about another three millions by other food items. Raw material imports were nearly 43 millions up, the biggest individual increase in this category being one of over 28 millions in raw cotton. Raw wool imports were worth 3½ more, and other textile materials rose two millions, and oil seeds, etc., 1¼ millions. Manufactured imports recorded a well-distributed advance of 14½ millions. On the export side various food exports were 2¼ millions up, and the value of coals exported was over 2¼ millions more. Manufactured exports grew by 41 millions. Cotton manufactures were up nearly 15 millions, wool manufactures by nearly five millions, various iron and steel manufactures, etc., by nearly nine millions, miscellaneous textile manufactures by nearly two millions, and apparel by two millions.

The imports into the United Kingdom during March and the three months were:—

	March.	Three Months.
1920	£176,647,515	£530,572,455
1919	£105,752,979	£346,988,758
1918	£61,342,444	£196,278,738

The exports during March and the three months were:—

	March.	Three Months.
1920	£103,699,381	£295,543,420
1919	£53,108,521	£147,366,623
1918	£41,696,310	£127,310,184

The re-exports during March and the three months were:—

	March.	Three Months.
1920	£27,031,357	£75,099,623
1919	£8,949,249	£18,628,525
1918	£9,632,860	£31,083,630

CLARE GIRLS' "OFFENCE."

In Miltownmalbay on Saturday night a number of young men cut off the hair of two young girls who were in company with soldiers. They had been previously warned to avoid soldiers.

COMING EVENTS.

DUBLIN BOY SCOUTS' CONCERT.—The Right Hon. Lord HolmPatrick, D.S.O., M.C., has extended his patronage to a grand orchestral concert to be held in the Fowler Hall, Dublin, on 26th inst. The entire proceeds of the concert will be given to help towards the expense of sending the boys of the 11th City Troop (the holders of the War Services Record for All Ireland) to the Imperial and International "Jamboree," to be held in London next July.

A RECENT VISIT TO THE BATTLEFIELDS OF BELGIUM.—A public lecture, entitled "A Recent Visit to the Battlefields of Belgium," will be given in Baggotrath Church Hall, Upper Baggot street, Dublin, this evening at 8 o'clock, by Mr. John Good, D.L., J.P. The lecture will be illustrated by a large number of photographic lime-light views, which were personally taken by Mr. Good.

AUCTION SALES.

Important advertisements in regard to sales that had been announced for Tuesday or yesterday will be found in our advertising columns to-day.

Disposal of Dublin Property.

Several thousand pounds' worth of valuable property will be disposed of under the hammer on Friday, 23rd inst., at Messrs. MacArthur's auction rooms, in Talbot street. The various lots include:—City residence, 78 Lower Leeson street; business premises, 2 Lower Leeson street; medium-sized house, 31 Goldsmith street, Berkeley road, with vacant possession; modern suburban residence, "Homestead," Melrose avenue, Fairview, also with vacant possession; shop and house, 28 Cuffe street; also £50 per annum, well-secured profit rent out of premises in Parnell street. Full particulars appear in today's advertising columns.

THE LATE PROFESSOR JOHN McCLELLAND.

The Board of Technical Instruction met at the offices of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland, Upper Merrion street, Dublin, on the 14th April, 1920, when the following members were present:—Mr. Hugh T. Barrie, D.L., M.P., Vice-President of the Department (in the chair); Sir Andrew Beattie, D.L.; W. Kennedy, F.T.C.D.; E. J. Long, J.P.; Rev. P. J. Manly, P.P., V.F.; A. Taylor, W. E. Thrift, F.T.C.D.; Mr. J. V. Coyle acted as secretary to the meeting. On the proposal of Mr. W. E. Thrift, F.T.C.D., seconded by Rev. P. J. Manly, P.P., V.F., the following resolution was adopted:—"The Board of Technical Instruction desire to place on record their sense of the serious loss which science and education in Ireland have suffered by the early death of Professor John McClelland, D.Sc., F.R.S., to whose personal character and work such universal testimony is being borne. The Board appreciate highly the great interest which Professor McClelland, during his eleven years' membership, took in the work of the Board, and his valuable services in connection therewith. They desire to express their deep sympathy with Mrs. McClelland and her family."

Mr. Arthur Henderson, M.P., is indisposed, and was yesterday prevented from attending to his duties at the Labour Party's offices.

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EASTER VESTRIES.

CHRIST CHURCH, LEESON PARK.—The Easter Vestry was held on the 9th inst., the Rev. J. Percy Phair in the chair. The following appointments were made:—Rector's Churchwarden—H. C. Grenfell. People's Warden—F. T. Franklin. Select Vestry—A. F. Blood, K.C.; S. R. Bowles, A. B. Bradley, H. O. Brunskill, R. V. Dixon, E. N. Edwards, W. E. Exshaw, Dr. S. T. Gordon, Dr. T. O. Graham, T. D. Kerr, John Sibthorpe, and W. G. Wakely. At the conclusion of the general meeting a special meeting was held, at which R. V. Dixon was elected a Diocesan Synodsman, in place of Freeman W. Deane, deceased.

ST. MATTHIAS' PARISH, DUBLIN.—Rev. Wm. Baillie, M.A., presided at the Easter Vestry of St. Matthias' Parish, Dublin. The following appointments were made:—Rector's Churchwarden—David H. Calvert. People's Churchwarden—W. H. J. Richardson. Select Vestry—Sir Wm. J. Smyly, M.D.; Richard K. Gamble, J.P.; Wm. Cotter Stubbs, M.A.; M. Backhouse, M.A.I.; R. R. McVittie, M.D.; Geo. Edward Smyth, O.B.E.; R. A. McCullough, A. Paul Barber, W. Bolton Walsh, W. Clements, J. F. Keatinge, J. T. Culleton. Parochial Treasurer—W. H. J. Richardson. Hon. Secretary to Select Vestry—W. Bolton Walsh.

MOLYNEUX CHURCH, DUBLIN.—The annual Easter Vestry of the Molyneux Church, Dublin, was held on 9th inst., the Rev. A. Morrow presiding. The following appointments were made:—Minister's Churchwarden—Thomas N. Hall. People's Churchwarden—Sergeant J. Cobbe. Hon. Sec. and Treasurer—Thomas Ingram. Select Vestry—Thomas Elley, Robert White, Thomas Ingram, George Halliday, Thomas Dunne, John Ramage, Samuel Jackson, F. Moloney, J. Attwood, H. V. White, and W. Bradfield.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—The Easter Vestry of St. Bartholomew's Church, Dublin, was held in the Parochial Hall on the 9th inst., the Vicar, the Rev. Walter C. Simpson, M.A., in the chair. The following appointments were made:—Vicar's Churchwarden—Wm. Chamney, J.P. People's Churchwarden—John T. Hamerton. Select Vestry—J. Andrew, John Cooke, M.A.; J. E. Dewhurst, G. Y. Dixon, Richard Smith Hopking, A. E. Murray, H. C. Neilson, G. Peterson, R. Trinick, C. Pratt Whelan, A. G. Woiseley. Hon. Treasurer—Wm. Chamney, J.P. Hon. Secretary—A. L. Hurford.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH.—The Easter Vestry was held in the Parochial Hall on Friday evening, the Rev. T. Good, B.D., the Rector, presiding. The following appointments were made:—Churchwardens—S. Gordon (Rector's), W. M. Breen (People's). Glebe Wardens—R. H. Bolton (Rector's), E. H. Hill (People's), S. Gordon (Supplemental Rector's), Lt.-Col. L'Estrange (Supplemental People's). Select Vestry—W. S. Rawkins, Lt.-Col. L'Estrange, H. R. Maynard, A. Veale, Jas. Doherty, J. Hawkins, R. M. McGinley, Geo. E. Hobbs, R. H. Shortt, E. W. Leach, T. L. Cullimore, T. W. Dycher. Sidesmen—F. Hobbs, B. K. Jones, — Frazer, H. A. Nixon, — Graham, R. Armstrong, E. H. Hill, R. H. Bolton, J. Grene, — Walmsley, jun. Collector for Sustentation Fund—Miss Armstrong. Parochial Treasurer—S. Gordon. Hon. Secretary—W. S. Rawkins, Financial Secretary—H. R. Maynard. Auditor—R. M. McGinley.

KILL PARISH, CO. DUBLIN.—The Easter Vestry of this parish was held at Kill Schoolhouse on the 8th April, Rev. C. W. Welland, Incumbent, in the chair. Colonel Morrison was nominated as Incumbent's Churchwarden, and J. Burton was elected People's Churchwarden. The following were elected as Select Vestry:—Dr. Armstrong, F. Beresford, Colonel Bredin, M. F. Fitz-Gerald, M. Good, A. H. Ormsby Hamilton, J. Hamilton Hunter, H. J. Miller, D. Ross Tittle, T. C. Townshend, W. Webster Hamilton. T. C. Townshend was elected Hon. Treasurer and M. Good Hon. Secretary.

UNION OF LEIXLIP AND LUCAN.—General Vestry held in Leixlip on April 6th. Rev. D. H. Gillman, M.A., presided. The following appointments were made:—Churchwardens for Lucan—Rector's—John Howard. People's—W. H. Freeman. For Leixlip:—Rector's—A. G. Dalgety. People's—A. W. Ireland. Select Vestry—Captain R. St. J. G. Colthurst, S. C. D. Harrison, Ernest Bellaney, John Cromer, S. C. Giltrap, T. Godden, R. Kingston, W. B. Andrews, R. Whelan, R. Symes, A. W. West, R. Murray. Parochial Treasurer—T. Godden. Hon. Treas., Sustentation Fund—S. C. D. Harrison. Hon. Sec. Select Vestry—S. C. D. Harrison, The Mall, Lucan.

ST. PAUL'S, GLENAGEARY.—Rev. Edmond Robinson, M.A., Vicar presided. The following appointments were made:—Vicar's Churchwarden—Trevor N. Smith, J.P., F.R.C.S.I. People's Churchwarden—W. J. Kerslake. Select Vestry—F. G. Coldwell, J.P.; Charles Phillips, J. E. Tomlinson, J. Sherlock Vaughan, LL.D.; G. R. Deverell, M. G. Wilkinson, H. A. Cordner, S. W. Strange, W. Paget Hatfield, G. A. Newsom, R. Norman Potterton, James Twamley. Hon. Secretary, Select Vestry—F. G. Coldwell. The meeting unanimously adopted a vote of condolence with the relatives of the late James A. Bury, J.P., who had been for many years a useful member of the Select Vestry, and for the past two years a Churchwarden.

TULLOW PARISH CHURCH, CARRICKMINES.—The Easter Vestry of Tullow Parish Church, Carrickmines, was held on 9th inst., the Rev. G. W. N. Clark, Rector, presiding. The following appointments were made:—Churchwardens—Rector's—Alfred D. Delap. People's—Arthur Marrable. Select Vestry—Cecil H. Darley, Col. R. J. R. Evatt, Percy J. C. Jones, W. J. Nelson, R. D. Ormsby, C. St. G. Orpen, R. C. Orpen, A. B. Perrin, John Read, J. A. Reddy, D. M. Steel, L. M. Symes. Hon. Secretary—J. M. Symes. Hon. Treasurer—R. C. Orpen. Sidesmen—C. H. Darley, Col. Evatt, Percy J. C. Jones, Captain Keith, R. D. Ormsby, A. B. Perrin, W. Power Steele, J. M. Symes. Glebe Wardens—R. D. Ormsby, A. B. Perrin.

BOOTERSTOWN PARISH.—The annual Easter meeting of Booterstown Parish was held on 6th April, Rev. T. Arnold Harvey, B.D., Rector, in the chair. The following appointments were made:—Rector's Churchwarden—Wm. Bewley. Parishioner's Churchwarden—L. F. Orr. Select Vestry—W. W. Harris, H. F. Foxall, G. Green, H. R. Guinness, H. W. Ross, E. W. Sarratt, C. Gifford, J. A. Heenan, A. A. MacDonogh, Dr. R. C. Peacock, A. C. Bewley, and W. Harding. Sidesmen—C. E. Carroll, Dr. R. C. Peacock, A. E. Prentice, J. Nicholls, T. Stanley, Col. Forrest, J. A. Heenan, E. W. Sarratt, G. Green, W. W. Harris, H. T. Phillips, R. R. Lowry, R. Willington. Hon. Secretary to Select Vestry—C. Gifford.

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Application for admission to the Examination must be made on Form S. 32 by the 30th April.
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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A depression off the South-West of Ireland is moving in a north-easterly direction, and will cause rain or showers generally. Unsettled weather is likely to continue beyond Thursday.

Ireland, N.W. and N.E.—Moderate to strong winds between west and north; cloudy, fair intervals; some showers; visibility fair; rather low temperature.

Ireland, S.E. and S.W.—Moderate to strong westerly winds; changeable, showery; visibility fair; moderate or rather low temperature.

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HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR (SUMMER TIME).

To-day... Morning	9.56	Evening	10.18
To-morrow .. ,,	10.39	,,	11. 1

SUNRISE AND SUNSET (SUMMER TIME).

To-day.... Rises ..	6.26	Sets	8.25
To-morrow.. ,, ..	6.24	,,	8.27

LIGHTING-UP TIME .... 9.25 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.50 p.m.
Gaiety—"The Yeomen of the Guard," 7.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Victims," "Aunt Maria," and "Harmony," 6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Empire Theatre—6.40 and 8.40 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Lost Leader," 8.15 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—3 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, continuous
Kingstown Picture House—Continuous.
May Fête—Royal Dublin Society Theatre, Kildare Street, 3 p.m.
Dublin Guardians—Meeting, 12.30 o'clock.
Richmond Asylum, 3 p.m.
Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society—Meeting, 12 o'clock.
Port and Docks Board, 1 p.m.
Dublin County Council, 3 p.m.
Working Girls' Display—Ballsbridge, 7.45 p.m.
Fishamble Street Mission, 3.30 p.m.
Elysée Dances—Aft. Tea Dance, 3-6; Evg., 7.45-11.30.—(Advt.)

The Irish Times.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1920.

In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Cecil Harmsworth moved the second reading of the Bill for the ratification of the Peace Treaties with Austria and Bulgaria. Mr. Asquith criticised both Treaties. He declared that they broke up Austria, which formerly had been an economic unit; that they tended to Balkanise Central Europe; and that the reparation provisions should be reviewed and modified.

Mr. Bonar Law announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the Irish Government had made concessions in regard to the treatment of prisoners. In future persons detained by order of the Competent Military Authority—persons arrested on suspicion and against whom no charge has been made—are to receive "ameliorative treatment." Mr. Law could not define "ameliorative treatment," but he assured the House that such persons would receive "quite different" treatment from that given to convicted prisoners.

As a result of an interview between Lord French and the Lord Mayor of Dublin sixty-six of the Mountjoy hunger-strikers have been released on *parole*, and twenty-four others will be released to-day. The general strike has been officially declared off from this morning.

Constable Kells, of the Dublin Metropolitan Police, was shot dead yesterday in Dublin within a short distance of his house in Pleasants street while going to report for duty.

Speaking yesterday to a meeting of railwaymen in Dublin on the general strike in Ireland, Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., said that, according to the laws of every civilised country, no man should have a charge made against him unless he had an opportunity of saying whether he was guilty or innocent. There was no excuse or justification for condemning people without trial. The men who at this moment were suffering and risking their all were guided by their conscience. That would always be the true test of sincerity. He wanted to do all that he could to vindicate the action of the men who were suffering. The action of those who had struck work was not for material gain, but for liberty.

Several persons were injured in Derry last night following an attack on police and military by a large crowd. The police were subjected to a fierce fusillade of stones and broken spouting, and several bayonet charges took place before the mob was ultimately dispersed.

In London yesterday the Stock Markets were adversely affected by the sharp advance in Treasury bill rates to 6½ per cent. for both three months and "yearlies." There was a consequent rise in discount rates, pending to-day's Bank of England announcement. Loan money was obtainable at 4 per cent. and down to 2 per cent. Dublin Stock Exchange was closed.

The Government and Ireland.

On Tuesday Mr. Bonar Law announced the Government's definite refusal to release the hunger-strikers in Mountjoy Prison. Yesterday evening sixty-six of these men were removed to public hospitals, and the remainder will be removed to-day. This sudden collapse from Rhadamanthine sternness is slightly ridiculous, and will weaken the Government's authority on both sides of the Irish Sea. It will be claimed as a great triumph by *Sinn Fein* and the Irish Labour Party: on the strength of it the latter already assumes the right to control the export of Irish food-stuffs to Great Britain. The Government had allowed itself, however, to get into a position in which it was confronted with a choice of two evils. If any of the prisoners had died, the state of Ireland, which is bad to-day, would have become far worse. Nationalist Ireland had worked itself into such a passion over the sufferings of the prisoners that a single death in Mountjoy might have provoked an exceedingly serious outburst of revenge and lawlessness. This, at any rate, has been averted, and the gain, combined with the breathing-space which it gives to new authority at Dublin Castle, may be accepted as justification for a "climb down" which in any other circumstances must have been wholly ignominious. The prisoners have been released on parole, and the Irish Government has made certain concessions which, if they are accepted in a reasonable spirit, should prevent a recurrence of this particular brand of trouble. In future persons who have been arrested on suspicion and against whom no definite charge has been made will receive the "ameliorative treatment" that was the goal of the hunger-strike. We find no fault with this concession. In the present state of Ireland arrests and detention under suspicion have been made necessary by the national conspiracy to withhold evidence of guilt. The fact remains, however, that prolonged detention without trial, though sanctioned by the Defence of the Realm Act, is out of harmony with the spirit of British law. Here, therefore, is a fair occasion for the use of the velvet glove upon the hand of steel.

No doubt, the Government's *volte face* was due in part to a belated recognition of the fact that a new outbreak of popular passion in Ireland must have destroyed the last chances of its proposed "settlement." We have recommended clemency for a different and, as we think, a more important reason. We felt that the new Chief Secretary and the new Commander of the Forces ought not to be handicapped by a crisis which was not of their making. It would have been a grave misfortune if Sir Hamar Greenwood and Sir Nevil Macready had found themselves confronted with an Ireland not merely lawless, but driven almost to madness by the exaltation of a series of martyrdoms in Mountjoy. For the moment, at least, that danger has been averted, and the new officials will be required to tackle no worse problems than those of which they must have had ample warning. Alleviated even thus, their task is sufficiently formidable to tax all their gifts of courage and statesmanship. As we said yesterday, it is the task not of maintaining law, but of restoring it—not of curing a sick patient, but of resurrecting him from the dead. Sir Nevil Macready, to whom, for Ireland's sake and his own, we wish good fortune and all success, looks out to-day upon a land which, for all material purposes, has been robbed of the King's law and retains no semblance of public order. It will be his duty to restore not only the moral, but the visible, sanctions of the law in large areas where the King's uniform has ceased to have any other significance than that of a target. He must re-occupy territory that virtually has been captured from the Crown. He must grapple with a baleful, and hitherto dreadfully successful, conspiracy of murder. Yesterday another police constable was assassinated in the streets of Dublin. Yesterday also, in full daylight, armed men entered and destroyed the Inland Revenue Office at Dundalk. These are symptoms not of mere disorder, but of anarchy. They are revolution's bold and resolute challenge to the last strongholds of the King's authority in Ireland.

The opening of the *régime* of Sir Hamar Greenwood and Sir Nevil Macready is associated with an act of clemency. We may hope that events will prove that it is the clemency of strength, not of weakness. We hope, too, that, in this moment of national relief after a very sore strain, all the thoughtful and moderate elements in the Irish community will ponder their duty to the Government, to their country, and to themselves. The plain facts are these: Ireland is falling rapidly into conditions which must make existence intolerable for all her sons, since anarchy is no respecter of persons. The last securities of life and property are disappearing. The foundations of industry are threatened. A wave of Bolshevism, before which *Sinn Fein* itself stands appalled, menaces, with many other institutions, our whole system of land tenure—the hard achievement of years of Parliamentary struggle. It is not a political question at all: the question is whether the Ireland of the near future is to be habitable or uninhabitable for any peace-loving Irishman of any party. The task of making the country habitable and of keeping it so is the Government's task; but the Government is fighting the people's fight; its most important agents are Irishmen as brave and patriotic as any in the land; and its sole aim is this country's freedom and prosperity within the Empire. The Government cannot win its fight—or, at the best, can hope only for a tardy and most costly victory—without the sympathy and support of the Irish people. That support is due to it, on every ground of public and private interest, from men and women of all Irish parties. Murder and outrage are equally hateful to all Irishmen, whether they call themselves Unionists or *Sinn Feiners*, who love their country's honour and their own peace. The more support the Government gets from popular opinion, the less need or excuse it will have for measures that infringe popular liberty. This moment of calm after storm can be made very fruitful of blessing for Ireland if our people will employ it as an interlude for thought upon their duty and their danger.

French Finance.

The debate on new taxes which is being held at present in the French Chamber is of the highest importance. The Government, very conservative in financial matters, is averse from innovation, while the Socialist school, represented by M. Vincent Auriol, favours new taxation and an approximation to British methods. He wants to get as much as possible out of income tax, and is of opinion that at least £160,000,000 might be raised from this source. French finance has reached a state which nothing but drastic methods can remedy. The cost of living in the country is enormous, and abroad the value of the franc has fallen to an absurd degree. On Tuesday it was quoted at the rate of 68.25 to the pound sterling. Of course, this condition of affairs cannot be remedied by taxation alone. Mr. Balfour said recently that, while Europe had been ruined, the standard of living everywhere had been raised. Apparently he was right; really he was wrong. Much of the financial disorder on the Continent of Europe can be traced to this fallacy. People are living in a fool's paradise. They have more money, it is true, and spend it more lavishly than before the war; but how? A man who in pre-war days was very glad to occupy a seat in "the gods" at a theatrical performance now is not satisfied with anything less "select" than the dress circle. Then, however, he got butter on his bread; now he gets margarine. The standard of living has not been raised, and France will discover to her cost that, unless she determines to tax herself to her utmost capacity, her standard will continue to decrease. Adequate taxation is not a panacea. It is the first step towards restoration of peace conditions. The next step is hard work, and in this respect, too, France needs to change her methods. Her exports cannot reach their former volume until world conditions of transport and production improve; but, as in the case of Great Britain, they can be greatly increased if the French workers choose to put their backs into their task. To trust to German indemnities is to lean upon a broken reed. France's salvation, financial as well as economic, must be achieved by her own efforts. Paris, like London and Rome, must "scorn delights and live laborious days."

Ocean Freights.

Ocean transport charges continue to advance. Following the increases on the Atlantic trade route, it is announced that the cost of conveying goods to and from South Africa will be raised by ten shillings *per* ton. Shipping companies admit that the recent arrangement between the Government and the colliery companies concerning *maximum* prices for bunker coal operates in their favour, but say that they have made due allowance for any benefit that accrues. The prices agreed upon are 75s. *per* ton for unscreened bunker coal and 80s. *per* ton for screened bunkers. These prices are "f.o.b." at the coal port or colliery, and, therefore, do not represent the actual cost of coal to the shipping companies. Every ship that requires a supply of Welsh coal cannot go to Newport or Cardiff, and the cost of bunkering a vessel at Southampton or London works out at about 105s. *per* ton. Even at this figure, however, bunker coal is considerably cheaper than it was before the arrangement came into force. How, then, can steamship owners justify higher freights? The case of the South African Conference lines supplies the answer. About a year ago the rates for this trade route were settled with the merchants. At that time the price of fuel at the ports of departure was approximately 60s. *per* ton. Then it began to increase rapidly. Two or three months ago the situation became acute, but action was deferred when it became known that the Government had entered into negotiations with the colliery-owners. But for the fixing of *maximum* prices it is possible that the increase in South African freights would have been 30s. instead of ten shillings.

Controlled Emigration.

For five years the stream of emigration ceased to flow, but it is certain that, when the shipping problem has been solved and transport charges have regained a reasonable level, thousands of persons will decide to leave our shores. Will the Government make any effort to conserve our Imperial man-power? The Royal Colonial Institute thinks that measures to achieve that end should be adopted without delay. At a meeting on Tuesday night Mr. Christopher Turnor pointed out that our white population is small compared with the size of the Empire, and that we cannot afford to lose citizens through emigration to foreign countries. Vast areas require to be peopled, and it has become an urgent necessity to develop the Empire's resources, particularly in the production of food supplies. He suggested that the Government should take the initiative in the creation of an Imperial policy for the direction of emigration. The first step should be the appointment of a central authority, which would possess the necessary powers to negotiate with the overseas Governments, the shipping companies, and the various private enterprises interested in the question. Mr. Turnor's main principles are—(1) Migration should be guided in the first instance to that part of the Empire where, from the strategic point of view, population is most needed; and (2) migrants should be settled in districts where, under properly organised conditions, they would become successful producers of food in the shortest possible time.

COURT CIRCULAR.

VICEREGAL LODGE, DUBLIN.

WEDNESDAY.

The Dowager Countess of Airlie left the Lodge to-day.

General and Mrs. Ready had the honour of being invited to dine with His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant at the Viceregal Lodge this evening.

TRIBUTES TO THE LATE PRIMATE.

At a meeting of the Board of Christ Church Cathedral, held yesterday, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—The Board of Christ Church Cathedral have heard with sorrow of the death of the Most Reverend John Baptist Crozier, Primate of All Ireland. The Church of Ireland has lost in him a chief pastor, and Ireland a patriotic son, whose many rare gifts secured for him the admiration and affection of his fellow-Churchmen and fellow-countrymen. The Board sympathise deeply and respectfully with Mrs. Crozier and the other members of his Grace's family in their bereavement.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.

At Evensong to-day the Service in St. Patrick's Cathedral will be of a memorial nature, as it is the day on which will be held the funeral of the Primate.

GOVERNOR OF BAHAMA ISLANDS.

The King has approved the appointment of Major H. E. S. Cordeaux, Governor of St. Helena, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Bahama Islands, in succession to Sir W. L. Allardyce, appointed Governor of Tasmania.

THE PREMIER'S VISIT TO SAN REMO.

Mr. Lloyd George has been in wireless communication with his secretariat at Downing street. He reached Gibraltar yesterday morning, and will disembark at Marseilles to-day, making the remainder of the journey to San Remo overland.

M. Millerand will, says a Reuter's telegram, leave Paris for San Remo on Friday evening accompanied by Marshal Foch, whose presence at San Remo is necessary for the discussion of military questions regarding Germany and Turkey. M. Berthelot will also accompany M. Millerand.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Apart from politics, everyone will be glad to see Dr. Macnamara back in the House of Commons, of which he is one of the most popular members. But no party has much to congratulate itself upon in the result of the elections either at Camberwell or Basingstoke. The Coalition holds its seats, but in each case by a minority vote. Labour, in the person of Miss Susan Lawrence, has done fairly well at Camberwell, but is relatively worse off at Basingstoke than it was at the general election. As for the "Wee Frees," they had a very good candidate in Sir Harry Verney at Basingstoke, but could not capture the seat, while at Camberwell Mr. Carroll was at the bottom of the poll, and was supported by barely a tenth of the electorate. There will be glum faces at the Asquith banquet to-night.

As usual at this time of year, the papers are full of Budget forecasts, and, as usual, I expect most of them will turn out to be wrong. "Sensational" changes in the coming Budget are the less likely because it now seems to be assured that this year there will have to be two Budgets. The report of the Income Tax Commission was received too late for the Chancellor and his advisers to have time fully to digest its recommendations, some of which, as I have already pointed out, require a good deal of consideration before they are adopted. Then, the tax on war wealth, on which the Treasury seems to have set its heart, cannot be set up until the present Committee has reported. It is assumed, therefore, that Mr. Chamberlain will content himself with some minor adjustments on Monday, and will reserve his more grandiose proposals till the autumn. If we may judge by the way in which the money is coming into the Exchequer, he need not have any particular anxiety as to meeting his current expenditure. The arrears of the excess profits tax and the sales of surplus stores continue to yield large sums, with the result that last week, in spite of a payment out of twenty-five millions for interest on war debt, expenditure was more than covered by income, and the floating liability of the State was still further reduced.

The news of the release of the hunger-strikers from Mountjoy Jail, Dublin, produced some surprise in the House of Commons after Mr. Bonar Law's stern declaration on Tuesday night that there could be no alteration in the Government's policy towards such prisoners. It will be seen, however, that the release was only granted on *parole*. The persons released are, therefore, pledged through themselves or their friends to return to confinement when they are certified to be in a condition to do so. Their cases are substantially on all fours with that of Alderman O'Brien, who was allowed to go to a nursing home after reducing himself to a very weak condition by hunger-strike at Wormwood Scrubbs. In these circumstances Ministers claim that there has been no inconsistency in the action of the Government over the matter, and satisfaction is expressed on the Treasury Bench over the finding of a way out of a position exceedingly uncomfortable for both the temporarily released persons and their jailers.

There are not wanting among the supporters of the Government critics of the concessions, who maintain that they will simply lead to demands for more. As a matter of fact, more are already being pressed for. Especially it is being urged by Nationalist members and others that a differentiation ought to be made, among convicted prisoners, between those who may be reckoned political offenders and the ordinary criminals—the difference, of course, to be much in favour of the former. It is, again, urged that inquiry into this subject should be made by an Advisory Committee sitting in secret, so that there need be little fear of danger to witnesses giving evidence.

A number of members of Parliament has accepted an invitation to meet at the House of Commons to-morrow a deputation of representative Southern Irish Unionists, and to hear from them a statement as to the condition of Ireland. The message that the deputation brings is that that condition is bad beyond description, and that some steps must be taken immediately to produce improvement if there is not to be a calamity. It is particularly to be urged that whatever steps are decided upon should be steadily persisted in.

Colonel Walter Guinness is proposing to move a number of amendments in Committee on the Home Rule Bill. By the first of these, true to his objection to partition, he would set up a single Second Chamber for the whole of Ireland, in lieu of the Council of Ireland provided for in the Bill. In another instance he seeks to strengthen, as far as may be, the safeguards for minorities, while in the domain of finance he has a scheme for reserving all income tax raised in Ireland to the Parliament and Government of that country up to the level of similar tax in Great Britain. Beyond such level presumably it would become liable to contribute to Imperial expenditure.

The House of Commons was very dull and quiet during the question hour. Lieutenant-Commander Kenworthy was absent, with the result that his questions were put by other members of the little party surrounding him. The first reply to one of his questions was that there will be no naval manœuvres this year. Colonel Wedgwood wanted to know whether all the black troops had been removed from the newly occupied areas of Germany. Mr. Harmsworth said that it was no business of ours.

Mr. Hogge grew quite dictatorial over a question answered by Mr. Bonar Law regarding the appointment of Sir Laming Worthington Evans as Minister without portfolio. He wanted precedents, salary, and vote for discussion, also an assurance that the post would not be continued when war conditions were a thing of the past. Mr. Bonar Law gave him all the points he wanted to know, and added that Ministers were very hard worked, and glad to have the assistance of a Minister in the position of Sir Laming Worthington Evans.

Lord Robert Cecil entered the House of Commons at three o'clock this afternoon, and took his usual seat behind the Government Bench. Immediately he arrived Mr. J. MacVeagh crossed the floor to pay him a visit. The case of the Mountjoy prisoners was evidently under discussion, for when the question hour was over Mr. T. P. O'Connor rose to ask whether the Government had a statement to make on the prisoners. Lord Robert Cecil gave him support by getting the Leader of the House to cross his "t's" and dot his "i's." Mr. Bonar Law announced that he had received an intimation from Dublin that the prisoners who were not under conviction were to receive ameliorative treatment. The House was very quiet and uninterested in the statement, and the matter was allowed to drop at once.

Mr. Cecil Litchfield, who has been appointed principal private secretary to Sir Robert Horne, President of the Board of Trade, is the son of Mr. W. H. Litchfield, well known in Dublin. Mr. C. Litchfield served under Sir Auckland Geddes at the Board of Trade for some months.

WAR VESSEL AT THE NORTH WALL EXTENSION.

A naval vessel of the torpedo destroyer pattern, and named the Undine, arrived at the east end of the port of Dublin early yesterday morning, and was given a berth alongside the North Wall extension. She was carrying special passengers, and to meet these and convey them from the Alexandra Basin premises to the city, Government and official motor vehicles were brought down in the early hours of the morning. A number of military, police, and detectives were present at the extension, but the utmost secrecy was observed concerning the identity of the important travellers who had crossed the Channel from Holyhead.

ANOTHER DUBLIN CRIME.

POLICEMAN SHOT DEAD IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

THREE SHOTS FIRED.

Another member of the Dublin Metropolitan Police, Constable Henry Kells (95 B), was shot dead at the corner of Upper Camden street and Pleasants street at a quarter to ten yesterday morning. There appears to have been no witnesses of the actual shooting, except the assassin or assassins, but a number of people state that they heard three shots, and on running out of their houses observed a man lying on the footway. He was evidently badly wounded, and was taken in a private motor car belonging to a Mr. Baron to the Meath Hospital, where life was pronounced extinct.

The deceased constable had resided at No. 7 Pleasants street for the past eleven years, and was well known and popular in the district. He had about twenty-two years' service in the force, during which he was attached to the College Police Station. Up to about four months ago he was on point duty in different places in the city, his last post being at the junction of Dame street and South Great George's street. He was then transferred to plain clothes duty in consequence of the alarming number of burglaries occurring in the city. He was concerned solely with criminal work, and had no connection with duties of a political or semi-political description. Constable Kells, who was about 40 years of age, was married, but had no family, and it is stated that his wife is lying very ill, and that the news of the tragedy has not been made known to her. Since being put on plain clothes duty a couple of months ago Constable Kells had been in the habit of leaving his house between 9.30 and 10 o'clock in the morning.

Mr. McCann, a dairyman, with premises at 45 Pleasants street, interviewed by an *Irish Times* representative, stated that Constable Kells passed his door at about 9.45 a.m. and they exchanged greetings. He knew the constable, who was wearing plain clothes, well, and had been in the habit of seeing him daily during the past three years since he had begun business there. There were no other people in sight at the time. He turned back into his shop, and immediately afterwards heard three shots. He ran out to the street door and saw the constable lying on the footpath outside the private entrance to the licensed premises at the corner of Pleasants street and Upper Camden street. He ran to the wounded man, and was joined by other people who came from the small shops and houses at that end of Pleasants street. The constable was groaning, and when a private motor car came along Upper Camden street it was stopped, and the wounded man was lifted into it and taken to the Meath Hospital. Mr. McCann said that he believed, however, that life was already extinct. On arrival at the hospital the house surgeon found that the constable was dead.

Mr. Jack Jones, who resides in Pleasants street, said that he heard three reports, but he thought that a baker's cart was passing, and that the boy was throwing his boards on the top. When, however, he heard a commotion in the street, he went out and saw a man lying on the footpath about ten yards from the corner of Upper Camden street. He recognised the man as Constable Kells, who was a well known and exceedingly popular resident in the district. He thought that the constable was dead. A private motor car conveyed the body to hospital. Mr. Jones said that the deceased man was an old resident in the locality.

A Mr. Tobin said that he was in the neighbourhood of Leech's publichouse, 78 Lower Camden street, the side door of which is in Pleasants street, a few minutes after half-past nine. He remembers seeing three men standing about, but did not notice them particularly. He heard three shots, and has an indistinct impression of seeing the three men dispersing, but he could not say in which direction they went. He saw people hurrying into Pleasants street, and he followed them and saw the wounded man.

It was stated at the Meath Hospital that a bullet had entered the chest and passed out at the back. Death must have been practically instantaneous. No other wounds were found on the body.

On the wall at the side of the private house entrance to the publichouse is the mark of a bullet.

Up to the present there have been no arrests.

STATEMENT IN THE COMMONS.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Lord Robert Cecil asked the Attorney-General for Ireland whether it was true that another policeman had been shot in the streets of Dublin that morning, and whether he could throw any light on the event.

Mr. Denis Henry—I regret to say that a constable was shot in Camden street at half-past nine this morning, on his way from his house to the police station. Nobody has been made amenable.

Lord Robert Cecil—Can the right hon. gentleman say how many were engaged in the crime?

Mr. Denis Henry—My information is that when the inhabitants of the houses came out there was no one in the street. It is believed that the man responsible for the murder disappeared into a house at once.

SAD AFFAIR AT R.I.C. DEPOT.

A SERGEANT'S DEATH.

Yesterday morning Sergeant Patrick Lavin, Royal Irish Constabulary, was found lying dead in his room at the Dépôt, Phœnix Park, Dublin, having been shot through the head. At his side was a rifle, from which a shot had recently been discharged. Evidently the muzzle of the rifle had been placed in his mouth and the trigger pulled, as the bullet passed through his head, causing instantaneous death. The affair took place about ten o'clock, and five minutes before his tragic death Sergeant Lavin was speaking to another sergeant, and then appeared in a quite normal condition.

The deceased, who was a man of splendid physique, standing 6 feet 3 inches high, was 42 years of age, and belonged to a most respectable County Roscommon family. He was unmarried, and had nineteen years' service in the police. During the war he served with distinction in the Irish Guards, and performed very valuable work as a drill instructor (first class) at the Guards' Headquarters Dépôt at Caterham. He also saw considerable service in France and Flanders, and was once wounded. He was extremely popular amongst all ranks at the dépôt, where his death is keenly felt.

THE IRISH RAILWAYS.

CONFERENCE AT MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

A conference with the Negotiating Committee of the National Union of Railwaymen was held at the office of the Ministry of Transport, Dublin, yesterday, in connection with the situation in Ireland, the question of the English settlement with the National Union of Railwaymen being still open in this country.

The following attended:—

Representing the Ministry of Transport—Mr. H. G. Burgess, Director-General of Transport, Ireland (presiding); Sir William Marwood, K.C.B.; Mr. J. Ingram, and Mr. P. Wharton. Representing the National Union of Railwaymen—Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, P.C., M.P.; Messrs. W. J. Abraham, J. Bermingham, A. J. Niven, P. Murphy, A. Law, W. Race, A. Matthews, J.P.; J. Jackson, T. Ward, J. O'Halloran, and R. Hennessey. Representing the Irish Railway Companies—Messrs. E. A. Neale, M. F. Keogh, James Cowie, J. Coghlan, H. Hunt, and J. B. Stephens.

The classification and grading of all men embraced within the conciliation scheme (except drivers, firemen, and cleaners, whose case has already been dealt with) was submitted and various points in connection therewith were discussed. A committee representing the Irish Railway Companies and the National Union of Railwaymen was appointed to deal with any detail mtters requiring attention.

It was agreed that an amount of £1 per man in respect of the arrears due up to the 31st December, 1919, should be paid forthwith to each man in the service of the controlled Irish Railway Companies during the month of December; temporary men and those who entered the service during the month of December to be paid proportionately. Lads under 18 years of age to receive half the above amount. The committee which was appointed will meet immediately to deal with outstanding points.

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H.M.S. Renown, with the Prince of Wales on board, arrived at Honolulu on Wednesday morning. H.R.H. was accorded an enthusiastic welcome.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

ACTING LORD MAYOR AT VICEREGAL LODGE.

We are officially informed that, according to an Order made yesterday morning, it is not intended to release unconditionally the hunger strikers in Mountjoy Prison, but an Order has been made that certain of them requiring medical treatment outside the prison will be released on parole for periods to be specified in each case by the examining medical officer of the prison.

In accordance with the above Order several of the prisoners were removed from the prison last evening to various Dublin hospitals.

SIXTY-SIX PRISONERS RELEASED.

The Lord Mayor stated last night that sixty-six of the hunger strikers had been transferred to various hospitals in the city, and that twenty-four additional men would be transferred to-day.

Previous to the removal of the prisoners there was much suppressed excitement amongst the crowd that waited outside the prison since morning. The withdrawal of the military from the approaches to the jail was generally regarded as an indication that developments had occurred overnight. It was thought that the prisoners had been released, but this belief was soon dispelled when intimation was given by visitors to the prisoners that some of them had collapsed and were on the verge of death. It was announced that amongst those who were in a very critical condition were Messrs. Malone, Carolan, Hunter, Breen, Noonan, and Harte. The usual prayers were recited by the crowd, which also joined in the singing of the hymn "Hail, Glorious St. Patrick." Occasionally an aeroplane circled over the prison.

About two o'clock one of the prisoners—Joseph O'Neill, of Manor place, Dublin, who had been on hunger strike—was removed in an ambulance to the Mater Misericordiæ Hospital, and was obviously in a weak condition. Rumours again spread that the men on hunger strike were to be released, but inquiries in authoritative quarters failed to confirm them.

The Lord Mayor, who had arrived in the meantime, entered the prison, a passage through the crowd having been kept clear for him and other visitors by civilians, who linked hands along the streets leading to the jail. A detachment of military was in possession of the immediate approaches. Having been in the prison for a brief period, the Lord Mayor came out, and mentioned that he had received a message from Lord French summoning him to the Viceregal Lodge. This announcement was regarded as confirming the earlier rumours that a general release was imminent, and there was much excitement.

Later in the afternoon it was announced outside that the prisoners were to be released at once. A laneway was formed in the crowd from the prison gates to the entrance of the Mater Hospital. Rev. Father Albert, O.S.F.C., asked the crowd to remain quiet, as the prisoners were very weak, and would be moved within an hour. Shortly afterwards a body of Volunteers marched towards the prison gates, apparently to help in the removal of the prisoners.

LORD MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Lord Mayor, who had returned from the Viceregal Lodge, addressed the crowd, and said that he did not know whether the people would agree with him in what he had done. Lord French had told him that all prisoners whom the doctors considered in danger would be released.

This announcement was received with a general feeling of relief, which was intensified later with the arrival of several ambulances to convey the prisoners to city hospitals. There was also a number of private motor cars, including those of doctors, to assist in the removal of the prisoners.

The Lord Mayor, in a statement to a Press representative last night, said that he went to the Viceregal Lodge and had an interview with the Lord Lieutenant. After a long conversation it was decided to give discretionary power to the prison doctor to release those prisoners whose lives were in danger by reason of the hunger strike.

Asked as to whether there were any conditions attached to the release, the Lord Mayor said that no conditions were mentioned at the interview. The Lord Mayor told the reporter—"I wanted to have the men released, and I have achieved my object."

Amongst the men released and in hospital are:—

In Richmond Hospital—Peter O'Reilly, Crampton Buildings, Dublin; — Gray, Newry; William Donald, Rathmines; Thomas Crimmons, Blessington; Thomas Doyle, South Circular road; Peter Shortall, Rathmines; F. Murray, Rathmines. They were treated by Dr. O'Connell, Senior Medical Attendant, and Dr. Horan.

In St. Vincent's Hospital—A. M'Cabe, M.P., Sligo; Michael Hegarty, Dublin; J. Gannon, Inchicore; T. Twomey, Tipperary; S. T. O'Reilly, Fairview; J. B. O'Driscoll, Skibbereen; C. P. Lucy, Cork, and Michael O'Connell, Thurles.

The Acting Vice-President and some of the members of the Irish Guild of the Church waited upon the Archbishop of Dublin to request him to intervene on behalf of the prisoners in Mountjoy. His Grace being absent from home, the following message, which was drawn up to be telegraphed to all the bishops of the Church of Ireland, was left at the Palace:—

"Members of the Irish Guild of the Church request instant action on behalf of prisoners in Mountjoy."

APPEAL OF DUBLIN JEWS.

The following telegram has been sent to the Lord Lieutenant on behalf of the Dublin Hebrew congregation:—"While political matters are not within the ambit of our functions, we humbly appeal to Your Excellency in the name of religion and humanity to exercise your clemency towards the unfortunate men now at grips with grim death at Mountjoy Prison."

"CURFEW" PRISONER RELEASED.

Yesterday morning Cyril McGlynn, of Eglinton terrace, Donnybrook, who was arrested on Easter Monday under the "Curfew" Order, and was on hunger strike for the past few days, was released from Mountjoy Prison.

MODIFIED PRISON TREATMENT.

STATEMENT BY MR. BONAR LAW.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. T. P. O'Connor asked the Leader of the House whether he had any information with regard to present conditions in Mountjoy Prison, and to any decision to which the Government might have come.

Mr. Bonar Law—I have just received a telegram from the Irish Government, stating that the following minute was issued this morning by the Prisons Board:—

"There are three classes of prisoners at present in Mountjoy Prison:—

"(1) Prisoners who have been tried, (a) before a jury; (b) before a courtmartial, and (c) summarily, and have been convicted.

"(2) Prisoners who have been arrested and have been (a) before a magistrate and depositions taken, and (b) prisoners who have been before a magistrate and remanded for the purpose of having depositions taken to be sent for trial.

"(3) Persons who have been arrested and detained under the order of the Competent Military Authority.

"The first class are not entitled to ameliorative treatment, except under rules printed on November 22nd, 1919. The second class are, and always have been, and will be, treated as untried prisoners. In all the circumstances of the case, the Irish Government have decided that the third class—that is, those arrested on the order of the Competent Military Authority—will in future be given ameliorative treatment from the date of their arrest until the date of their conviction."

Mr. MacVeagh—Does "ameliorative treatment" mean that those prisoners will be treated as first class misdemeanants?

Mr. Bonar Law—Obviously I cannot give particulars. I do not know exactly what it does mean, but it does mean that they will be treated quite differently from both convicted prisoners and untried prisoners.

ENGLAND AND FRANCE.

HARMONIOUS RELATIONS.

Replying in the House of Commons yesterday to Capt. R. Terrell and Lieut.-Col. Sir Frederick Hall, who asked whether the Notes exchanged with France on the occasion of the recent operations on the Rhine would be published,

Mr. Bonar Law said he hoped that the question would not be pressed. The matter was one which would be better settled at San Remo than by public discussion. Replying to other questions, he said that the relations between the two countries were harmonious.

REFUSAL TO ADMIT LITVINOFF.

A Reuter's Copenhagen telegram of Tuesday says—As a result of the British Government's refusal to admit M. Litvinoff to England, the Russian Trade Commission refuses to go to London without him.

MINERS AND STRIKE.

The Executive of the Miners' Federation met in London yesterday to review the figures of the ballot, and prepare for a national conference of delegates to-day. It is believed there will not be a strike majority.

THE GENERAL STRIKE.

ITS END ANNOUNCED.

WORK TO BE RESUMED TO-DAY.

EXPORT OF FOOD TO BE STOPPED.

Dublin experienced a day of industrial inactivity yesterday similar in all respects to the previous day. There was an absolute suspension of every kind of trading, except in the purchase of such household essentials as bread and milk, which were obtainable either from purveyors' vans or the local groceries, most of which were opened for an interval in the forenoon. All other classes of business establishments—drapery, hardware, vintners', and victuallers' concerns—responded to the notification for a continuance of the strike. In the case, however, of a considerable section of the butchers, their compliance was more a matter of constraint than willing conformity, for the very good reason that a large quantity of the meat killed during the week-end remained on their hands when their premises were closed on Monday evening.

CROWDED STREETS.

Throughout the day all the main streets were full of life and movement. Weather conditions favoured street promenading much more than on Tuesday, but the only impelling motive which prompted citizens to go out-of-doors was curiosity, and a desire to be of the crowd. With no trams or any kind of vehicular traffic to relieve the congestion, the footways of the chief streets during the mid-day and forenoon were fully thronged with pedestrians, all arrayed in holiday attire. An occasional jarvey, driving a passenger, was to be seen now and again, but before he had gone far his progress was interrupted by a party of picketers, who, holding him up, called upon the passengers to dismount, at the same time reminding the driver that he was violating the rules of the strike.

MR. THOMAS AND THE STRIKE.

The occasion offered an ideal opportunity for Volunteer displays, which, if anything, were more frequent and numerically stronger than on the first day of the strike. The larger ones were organised and marshalled at Beresford place, and in military formation (some of the processions numbering fully a thousand men), they marched through the leading streets and on to Mountjoy Prison, where demonstrations of sympathy with the hunger-strikers were indulged in. In the afternoon Dublin railway-workers, carrying banners, marched in procession through the city, identifying themselves with the strikers' demand. They formed a big muster, and before disbanding halted before the offices of the National Executive of the Confederated Labour Bodies, in Middle Abbey street, where Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., Parliamentary Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, addressed them. He said that that was a time, not for speech-making, but for action. There was a right and a wrong way of doing things. As Irishmen, they had given the greatest demonstration of manhood and true comradeship that it was possible to give. (Hear, hear.) It was because they had done that that he wanted them to continue to do it in a right way. Now, at the moment, there was not any difference of opinion on any cardinal point. According to the law of every civilised country, no man was entitled to have a charge made against him unless he has had an opportunity of showing whether he was guilty or innocent. (Hear, hear.) There was no excuse and no justification for condemning people without a trial. The men who were at this moment suffering and risking all, were doing so because they were guided by their conscience. That should always be the true test of sincerity. He wanted to do all that he could to vindicate their action, and that of the men on strike. They could best do that by not giving any excuse to the other people. "Do not," he said, "make fools of yourselves by giving them a chance. Just show that Irishmen can protest in a dignified and manly way." He believed that their action would be justified, and that it would be possible for them to say—"We stopped work, not for any material gain, not for any increase of wages, but because we believe that there is something more important than hours or wages, and that is liberty." (Applause.) As an English Labour leader, many of whose men in Ireland were involved, he promised them that while in Ireland his services would be given ungrudgingly to try and find some real solution for the difficulty. He appealed to them to conduct themselves in an orderly way, and to remember that while might sometimes triumphed, right would always vindicate itself. Their struggle was for right and justice, and he would do his best to help them to achieve it. (Applause.)

THE TRAIN SERVICE.

Except for the Great Northern Railway Company's system, there was, as on Tuesday, a complete stoppage of work on the lines of all the other systems with termini in Dublin. There was not anything like the same amount of traffic leaving Amiens street Station, but the company's officials and the small staff who remained loyal were able to send off all the principal trains for the North, except the early morning mail train. The Howth service was again idle, and such residents as had to come to town were obliged to walk or cycle.

The Great Southern and Western, the Great Northern, the Midland Great Western, and Dublin and South-Eastern Companies hope to be able to resume their full passenger services to-day.

The postal department of the General Post Office was closed throughout the day, and large bodies of men were stationed on picket duty outside the Sorting Office in the Rotunda Gardens, the chief office in Sackville street, and the district office in College Green, which was open for a brief space in the forenoon. The telegraph and telephone services were available, but delivery of messages by the former was very late.

Throughout the day the Executive Committee of the Irish Labour Party and Trades' Union Congress held a number of sittings, and early in the afternoon when the report spread that the Lord Mayor had been invited by the Lord Lieutenant to a conference in the Viceregal Lodge, a full muster of all the members of the Committee, together with Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., assembled.

A WELCOME ANNOUNCEMENT.

After an hour's adjournment they reassembled, when the following telegram was drawn up and despatched to all the principal Irish towns:—"National Executive declare strike closed. All work to be resumed immediately, except shipment food across Channel. Irish labour's solidarity and union and sacrifice has won great victory. Prisoners released 5 o'clock to-day to hospitals. Hope all will recover. Further particulars to-morrow. This manifestation of Labour's power marks epoch in history of working-classes.—Signed, Johnston, Acting Secretary."

The news that the strike had reached an end caused general gratification, and not least amongst the workers themselves for whom the prospect of a light week's wage was decidedly depressing.

In the principal city hotels, visitors, though obliged to put up with many inconveniences, found the general arrangements for their comfort much better than on Tuesday.

Old-age pensioners were yesterday paid their weekly allowances by staffs appointed by the Strike Committee.

A couple of aeroplanes flew over the city during the day.

Soon after the announcement of the calling off of the strike taxi-cabs began to ply busily all over the city, and car-drivers were materially helped by a heavy downfall of rain. With the coming of darkness the crowds disappeared quickly from the streets.

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FOOD EXPORTS TO STOP.

"Dislocation of traffic and absence of transport facilities have denuded towns and cities of food supplies. We are bound to give first consideration to our own people, and, therefore, we instruct that for their protection there shall be no exportation of food supplies for the present and until the markets have reached normal conditions.

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"Further instructions on this subject will be duly announced.

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DEMONSTRATIONS IN KINGSTOWN AND DALKEY.

As on Tuesday, the strike was maintained yesterday in all the coast townships. Processions in Kingstown and Dalkey were a new feature, and the turning out of the local postmen added another manifestation to the effectiveness of the call of the Labour leaders. The mail boats came and went as on the previous day. There

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MOB DISPERSED BY BAYONET CHARGES.

Our Londonderry Correspondent telegraphs:—

A desperate affray, in which police and civilians were involved, and in which several persons were injured, took place yesterday evening in the vicinity of the Great Northern Railway station. There was a large crowd in the street owing to the strike in sympathy with the prisoners in Mountjoy Prison. About four o'clock a large military lorry arrived at the railway terminus to escort a prisoner to jail. The crowd moved towards the station, where there was an immense assemblage. There were shouts of "Up, Dublin," and "Up, the Republic" was written on the military lorry. The police were immediately telephoned for, and a force arrived with fixed bayonets. They were jeered at as they approached the station, and the crowd sang "The Soldier's Song." When the military and police escort, consisting of two constables and six soldiers, with fixed bayonets, emerged from the station with the Sinn Fein prisoner, who was arrested by the military in Fintona, they were derisively cheered and pelted with stones by members of the crowd. They retreated to the railway building, where the prisoner was placed in a waiting-room under a military guard.

Meanwhile excitement ran high, and the subsequent action of the police, reinforced by military, seemed to inflame the passions of the crowd, and culminated in a dangerous scene. The crowd continued to hurl stones, pieces of brick, and broken spouting at the constables who were guarding the railway station.

With fixed bayonets the police dispersed the crowd, and it is alleged that from the retreating civilians revolver shots were discharged. After each bayonet charge by the police the crowd returned and renewed the stone-throwing. So serious did the situation become that two companies of military and an armoured car were brought to the scene. The crowd of Sinn Feiners in Bridge street stoned the military. A detachment of twelve of the soldiers advanced to the foot of Bridge street, and while in a kneeling position were again stoned fiercely by the crowd. Several of the soldiers fired single volleys of apparently blank cartridge, but these having no effect, the soldiers were ordered to fire, about forty shots being discharged. Revolver shots were discharged at the soldiers from houses in Bridge street, and a youth from an entry was seen taking deliberate aim at the soldiers. As a result of the firing three civilians named McSorley, Keeny, and Doran received injuries, for which they were treated in hospital. Notwithstanding this, the stoning of the soldiers continued. The Tyrone prisoner and another man arrested in one of the bayonet charges were taken to prison.

Afterwards crowds assembled outside the prison, where about 80 Sinn Fein prisoners are detained, and, fearing an attack on the building, police and military were brought out. Rival civilian crowds proceeded to attack each other with stones, and many windows in the locality were broken. Ultimately the parties were dispersed, and quiet was restored about 11 o'clock.

DARING OUTRAGE IN DUNDALK.

INLAND REVENUE OFFICES BURNED IN DAYLIGHT.

STAFF TERRIFIED BY ARMED MEN.

Our Dundalk Correspondent telegraphed last night:—An extraordinary occurrence took place in Dundalk this afternoon. At ten minutes to 2 o'clock thirty men, armed with revolvers and wearing masks, entered the Inland Revenue Office in Park street, and demanded to see Mr. Shaw, the Supervisor. Mr. Shaw was in the hall, about to leave for dinner. He was covered with a revolver and ordered to the basement. Mr. J. P. Dunne, who was in his office, was ordered to put up his hands, and was searched. He and Mr. Fitzgerald, a Customs officer, were taken to the hall, and again searched. They were then marched to the basement, where they found the Supervisor. All three were ordered to face the wall, while three men armed with revolvers stood on guard over them.

In a short time one of the raiders asked "Is it a fire?" and another, apparently the leader, replied "Yes." The men then rushed upstairs. Meanwhile members of the raiding party had saturated the offices and staircase with petrol. Official papers were kindled in a bonfire. Particular attention was paid to the office of the Supervisor, in which the most confidential papers and records were kept. This office, which is situated on the ground floor, was first set ablaze. The officials in the basement were ordered not to leave for five minutes, one of the armed men stating that a guard was outside. When the stipulated time had elapsed the officials rushed upstairs and found the offices ablaze. The fire spread rapidly, and within an hour the entire four-storey building was completely gutted.

The military fire brigade turned out with their engine in good time, but the town brigade did not attend. Efforts were directed to saving the houses on the same block, and in this the military were successful. Independent of any question of value of papers, the building alone is estimated to have been worth £10,000. While the fire was in progress a large crowd of towns-people, marching in fours, came from St. Patrick's Church, where the Rosary had been recited for the prisoners, intending to visit St. Malachy's Church, where a similar service had been arranged. A military officer stopped the procession, and placed armed soldiers across Park street. The men stood ready with their rifles, but, after a consultation, the processionists returned down the street. Earlier in the day a deputation from the picketers entered the Inland Revenue Office, and asked that the Supervisor should dismiss the clerks at work owing to the general strike. Mr. Shaw declined to do so, stating that he had no authority, but be promised to telegraph to his superior officer for instructions.

An abortive attempt to fire the offices was made on Easter Saturday night, when the caretakers found papers which had been saturated with paraffin alight. A claim has been lodged for the destruction of these papers.

TWO POLICEMEN WOUNDED.

INCIDENT AT A DANCE.

Our Claremorris Correspondent telegraphs:—A deplorable incident in connection with a ball in Aughamore, on Sunday night, was an attack upon two constables who were spending a holiday in their native district. The constables were highly popular young men, and had been invited to the ball or dance which was held in the village school. Their names are Mulrennan and Byrne. The festivities went on till early in the morning, when the constables were asked out for refreshments a short distance away. They accepted the invitation, and on their return, after an absence of half an hour, were fired on from a thick grove opposite the school. Mulrennan received a large number of pellets in the legs, and Byrne was slightly injured, while two civilians who accompanied them are reported to have been slightly wounded. Constable Mulrennan's injuries necessitated his removal to Dublin to have the pellets extracted.

BATON CHARGES IN NENAGH.

Exciting scenes were witnessed in Nenagh on Tuesday night, when several baton charges took place, and many people were injured. It appears that about 9 p.m., while a police patrol was going up Castle street, some person shouted "Up Knocklong," with the result that the police charged with batons in Peter street, and subsequently a large force, in skirmishing order and armed with carbines, cleared the streets. Several people were hit with batons.

ENGLISH BY-ELECTIONS.

COALITION CANDIDATES RETURNED.

CAMBERWELL.

The result of the Camberwell election was declared yesterday as follows:—

Dr. Macnamara (Co.L.)	6618
Miss Lawrence (Lab.)	4733
J. C. Carroll (Lib.)	3386
Majority over Labour	1885

The figures at the last Election were:—

Dr. Macnamara (Co.L.)	6986
Radford (U.)	3947

BASINGSTOKE.

The result of the Basingstoke election was declared yesterday as follows:—

Sir A. Holbrook (Co.U.)	8515
Sir H. Verney (Lib.)	5393
Mr. J. H. Round (Lab.)	5352
Majority over Liberal	3122

Following the declaration of the poll, Sir Arthur Holbrook, the newly-elected member, in returning thanks, said—I shall carry a message to Parliament that Basingstoke approves of the action of the Coalition Government, and vindicates their policy of restoring industrial peace by Constitutional methods, and of securing the safety, prosperity, and welfare of the Empire.

PARLIAMENT.

THE AUSTRIAN AND BULGARIAN TREATIES.

RATIFICATION BILL.

MR. ASQUITH'S CRITICISMS.

In the House of Commons yesterday, the Speaker took the chair at 2.45 p.m.

NO NAVAL MANŒUVRES.

Colonel Craig, in reply to Lieut.-Commander Kenworthy, said that it was not proposed to carry out naval manœuvres this year, but there was in contemplation the commissioning of a certain number of vessels in reserve for a short period.

ALLEGED MURDER OF BRITISH OFFICERS

Mr. Leonard Lyle asked the Secretary for War whether his attention had been called to the statement that two British officers were recently captured by the Bolshevists, brutally tortured, and then murdered.

Sir Archibald Williamson said that urgent inquiries were being made to ascertain the truth of the statements.

GERMAN ATTACKS ON BRITISH JOURNALISTS.

In reply to a question by Colonel Wedgwood as to the action of the Baltic troops and Lieut. Linsenmeyer in arresting and ill-treating the newspaper correspondents at Essen,

Mr. Harmsworth said that Lord Kilmarnock had, on the instructions of the Foreign Secretary, made a protest and demanded an apology, and adequate punishment of the guilty parties. The German Government had expressed regret direct to Mr. Voigt, the *Manchester Guardian* Correspondent, and had ordered an immediate strict inquiry to be instituted.

Colonel Wedgwood—Is it likely that the German Government will carry out disciplinary action in regard to Lieut. Linsenmeyer?

Mr. Harmsworth—I should think so, certainly.

COUNTING OF VOTES IN ELECTIONS.

Dr. Addison, in reply to Major Morrison Bell, said that the Government had decided to bring in a bill to abolish the interval that elapsed now between polling and counting votes at Parliamentary elections. This proposal would be limited to the United Kingdom. The proxy vote would be continued in certain areas, but some slight modification in the present minimum period might be necessary. A bill was in preparation, and would be introduced at an early date.

AUSTRIAN AND BULGARIAN TREATIES.

Mr. Cecil Harmsworth, in moving the second reading of the Treaties of Peace (Austria and Bulgaria) Bill, said that this was a bill for giving effect to the Treaties of Peace with Austria and Bulgaria. When the bill was passed those Treaties would have been ratified, so far as this country was concerned. As the House were, no doubt, aware, although they had the power to reject the Treaties, they had not the power to amend them in any detail. He would warn the House against a certain attitude of mind that had been adopted very largely in regard to the Peace Treaties with our former enemies. That attitude had been expressed with singular literary skill by Mr. Keynes in his well-known book on the Paris Peace Conference. It was an attitude of mind that seemed to assume that if any of these Peace Treaties fell short of what the writer thought desirable, the fault lay with the Allies. But they were not responsible for the war, nor for its devastation and the present deplorable situation in Central Europe. It was not their fault that the ancient Empire of Austria had crumbled into its component parts. They had to regard the situation from the point of view of men who, through no fault of their own, were confronted with enormous economic and political difficulties, and had made an exceedingly good job of the very refractory materials they had to deal with. He claimed for the Austrian Peace Treaty that it was an eminently satisfactory one. He went further, and said that in some respects it was a lenient, and even an indulgent, treaty. He invited members who objected to it to state what constructive suggestions they would have made if they had had a hand in framing the Treaty. How could the dismemberment of the Austrian Empire have been avoided? It was not true that the principle of "self-determination" had been violated, neither could it be said that the reparation clauses were too severe. Since the armistice the Allies had treated their late enemies with a magnanimity unparalleled in the history of war. There were satisfactory indications that Bulgaria was reconciling herself to the terms of peace, and the Government noted with pleasure that the Bulgarian Prime Minister had boldly set to work to cleanse Bulgarian public life from the corrupt influences which centred round the Court of the late King Ferdinand. They hoped that these efforts would pave the way towards a permanent reconciliation and an enduring peace in the Balkans.

MR. ASQUITH.

Mr. Asquith congratulated the hon. member on the able manner in which he had discharged a delicate task. He re-echoed the admirable admonition that the only way to prevent a recurrence of the war was by the prompt and effective operation of the League of Nations. He regretted that there had been such a long interval before the ratification of these Treaties, because every month's delay aggravated the political and economic chaos which prevailed. The Bulgarian Treaty was a tragic illustration of the Nemesis which attended a short-sighted and selfish policy. Bulgaria entered the war without any justification or pretext. She waited for a year to see how the cat jumped, and then, under the evil inspiration of a bad King, joined the Central Powers at a very critical moment in the war. She had a very heavy responsibility for the prolongation of the war and the sufferings involved. It could not be said that the Powers had dealt too harshly with Bulgaria. They ought not, however, permanently to impoverish and humiliate her, and he trusted that she would soon be granted economic outlets to the Ægean Sea. It was impossible to pass a wholly favourable judgment on the Treaty with Austria. He had no disposition to extenuate the part which Austria played in the war, nor did he dispute the proposition that the dismemberment of the Austrian Empire was an inevitable incident of peace, but it had been overlooked that for years Austria-Hungary had been an economic unit, and in the evolution of the new States it was all-important that the integrity of the old economic unity should be maintained. The new States ought not to have been put in the position of being able to erect economic barriers against one another. Unless that mistake was corrected rapidly it would have the effect of "Balkanising" that part of Europe. The real gravamen of the criticism against this Treaty was the absence of any provision for free commercial intercourse between the various States, so that they could prosper and develop. Look at the position of German Austria under the Treaty. She could not feed or supply herself, and had always been dependent on other parts of the Austrian Empire. Now the other States refused to supply her, and her main support was the credit of 48,000,000 dollars from America. They witnessed the bizarre and fantastic spectacle of coal coming from America crossing over the railways coal going from Czecho-Slovakia to Italy, while sugar going to Vienna crossed Czecho-Slovak sugar going to France. Could anyone imagine a more absurd, topsy-turvey state of things, or one more calculated to paralyse the economic development of the new States?

THE REPARATION CLAUSES.

He passed to an inter-dependent topic—the Reparation Clauses of the Treaty. The Reparation Commission had power to investigate these clauses, but the fact remained that the Commission was given a floating charge over the whole enterprise and industry of the inhabitants of German Austria for years to come. How could they expect any country to restart with energy and with success its economic life under such a burden as that? The thing was unthinkable. He had no spirit of tenderness towards the Austrian people. They deserved to suffer for what they had done, but what could be more short-sighted than to impoverish in advance the only reservoir out of which must flow the stream which would enable them to make reparation? In his judgment, the Treaty ought to be revised in the light of these facts and of the experience gained. He knew the difficulties and obstacles, but he urged very strongly, with the fullest possible conviction of the justice and expediency of what he suggested, that the best interests of the Allies and of the civilisation of the world demanded that the total burden to be imposed on Austria should be carefully and promptly defined in amount by the Reparation Commission, in which it was only fair and right to include an Austrian representative. Next, he thought that the Allied Powers or the League of Nations should insist on the disarmament of the new States; steps should be taken, in a not unfriendly spirit, to deal with the small States, and prevent the growth of armaments. He understood that Czecho-Slovakia had actually passed a conscription law. It was monstrous that these new experiments in free national life should be disfigured and crippled in the early stages of their existence by a gross and wholly unwarranted expenditure on armaments. (Hear, hear.) If the defects in the Treaty to which he had referred were promptly and effectually remedied, he would be prepared to wait for further experience before asking for its complete revision. But so long as these defects existed he could not regard the Treaty as providing an effectual safeguard to the peace and prosperity of Eastern Europe. (Cheers.)

THE REJECTION MOVED.

Colonel Malone moved as an amendment:—"That this House declines to give a second reading to a bill which in the case of Austria places unreasonable economic burdens on that country, and in the case of both Austria and Bulgaria violates the principle of 'self-determination' and contains the seeds of future wars."

The bill was read a second time.

SPECIAL EXTRA.

THE IRISH SITUATION.

SPURIOUS MARTYRDOM.

In a leading article, the *Morning Post* says: The Government, as might have been expected, have given way with regard to the Irish prisoners, who are attempting to achieve a spurious martyrdom by slow suicide, and in thus yielding to intimidation they have again exposed their fatal weakness. In the first place the Government should never have allowed the situation to occur. Now that it has occurred there is but one safe course to follow, which is to correct the original mistake without delay. The original mistake of the Government was to proceed upon the assumption that the disorder and crime in Ireland are merely an exaggerated form of the usual offences against the law, that they are what is called political in origin, and, therefore, in some mysterious way comparatively venial. Reasoning upon a demonstrably false hypothesis, the Government attempt to restore order by the usual civilian methods, slightly stiffened by the Defence of the Realm Act. These methods have utterly and ignominiously failed. Ireland is in a condition of armed, active, and dangerous rebellion. The Government, continuing to pretend that there is no rebellion, meet it with the civil arm, which is naturally useless. The whole argument for the release of the hunger-strikers rests upon the false assumption that Ireland is not in a state of rebellion, and it is that very assumption upon which the Government are acting. Lord Robert Cecil demanded the constitution of a special tribunal to try men arrested on suspicion. To set up such a tribunal would not only require an Act of Parliament, but it would be as powerless as the existing courts to obtain evidence. There can be but one solution of the problem, which is to declare and to enforce martial law. The Irish are driving the irresolute Government towards that expedient, and the longer its adoption is postponed the more innocent men will be assassinated, and the more difficult will prove the reconquest of Ireland. And by their latest action, the Government themselves have provided an easy method of escape for the prisoners. They have only to refuse their food for a day or two to "receive ameliorative treatment."

CHANGE OF POLICY.

The Political Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, writing on the release of the hunger-strikers, says:—It marks the beginning of an entire change of Irish policy, which was decided on at the time of the appointment of Sir Nevil Macready to the command of the troops in Ireland, and there are some very strange incidents associated with it which overshadow in interest the actual concessions.

The Premier decided to make a change of policy, and, if necessary, to get rid of the men associated with the old *régime*. His manner of doing so was peculiar. It is understood that the first announcement made to Mr. Macpherson of his change of office was after his speech on the second reading of the Home Rule Bill, when the Premier turned to him on the Treasury Bench in the House of Commons and said:—

"By the way, I have decided to transfer you to the Pensions Ministry."

About the same time Sir Nevil Macready was appointed to the command of the troops in Ireland, the Premier making the appointment without any consultation with the Irish Office.

Sir Nevil was instructed to inaugurate a new policy of conciliation, and was given a free hand. In other words, he was to supersede the existing heads of the Government in Ireland. He arrived in Dublin yesterday morning, and ordered the release of the prisoners, after, it is understood, an exchange of messages direct with the Premier by wireless. (The Premier is at sea on his way to San Remo.)

NEW SPIRIT IN IRELAND.

The Political Correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle* writes:—The appointments of General Macready, who has been given very full and definite powers, and of Sir Hamar Greenwood, who is a "go-ahead" administrator, were indicative of the Government's desire to do everything possible, despite the thorny situation, to pave the way for the Government's Home Rule Bill, and a reconciliation of parties. General Macready has frankly stated that it is part of his duties to bring about a better understanding if he can.

UNDESERVED ODIUM AVERTED.

The *Daily Telegraph*, dealing with the release of the Irish hunger-strikers, says:—It will save the authorities from the undeserved odium of having caused the deaths of these men, for that would have been the charge if such results had occurred.

SINN FEIN HEROES.

The *Daily Chronicle* says:—If the last two years have shown anything about South Ireland they have revealed the extraordinarily low level of civilisation by which its moral judgments tend to be influenced. Yesterday there occurred in Dublin itself another murder of the usual type. A constable was shot in the open street, by a man whom nobody stopped, or dared publicly to identify. When the Irish Government have obtained (as they probably will) reliable confidential information as to his identity, and have put him in prison, he will, of course, be fully qualified as a "hero."

SOUTH CAROLINA REBUFF TO MR. DE VALERA.

A Reuter's telegram from Columbia, South Carolina, dated Tuesday, says:—Because of the objections of numbers of students, more particularly those who served in the European War, the invitations which had been extended to Mr. De Valera to address the students of the University of South Carolina have been countermanded, and a number of other invitations to him cancelled.

RACING SELECTIONS.

NEWMARKET MEETING.

(FROM THE SPORTING LIFE OF TO-DAY.)

Flying Handicap—King Sol.
T.Y.O. Plate—Port Royal.
T.Y.O. Plate (I)—Royal Port.
T.Y.O. Plate (II)—Cranford c.
Craven Stakes—Prince Galahad.
Three-Year-Old Handicap—Mount Royal.
April Plate—Gripfast.

(FROM THE SPORTSMAN OF TO-DAY.)

Flying Handicap—King Sol.
T.Y.O. Plate (I)—Bucket.
T.Y.O. Plate—Cranford c. or Nightwing.
Craven Stakes—Prince Galahad or Manton.
Three-Year-Old Handicap—Mount Royal or Rapiere.
April Plate—Yellow Bedstraw.

SUNDERLAND BY-ELECTION.

THE IRISH ISSUE.

SIR HAMAR GREENWOOD'S TASK.

The triangular contest for the seat in Sunderland, rendered vacant by the appointment of Sir Hamar Greenwood to the Chief Secretaryship of Ireland, is developing with daily increasing energy. The constituency is primarily an industrial and shipping centre. There are over thirty large shipbuilding and engineering yards, and workmen and their wives form the bulk of the electorate. All of the candidates are seeking energetically to cultivate the working classes, hence dinner-hour meetings form a feature of the contest. Sir Hamar Greenwood, accompanied by Lady Greenwood, visited the Doxford Engine Works, and met with a sympathetic reception. Sir Hamar based his appeal for support chiefly upon Ireland, and regretted that he was not now in London or Dublin pulling his full weight. The Irish question was not one of party, but of such supreme importance that he had a right to ask for an even larger majority to strengthen his hands. By ameliorating Irish conditions they would do good not only to Ireland, but to their own country.

A workman asked how the Home Rule Bill would be introduced, and Sir Hamar replied that the bill could not be forced, but only presented. A voice demanded to hear something about the independent Republic, and later said: "I do not agree with you." Sir Hamar retorted that the interrupter could at all events wish him God-speed. The Voice—"I wish you God-speed, but I shall work against you." (Laughter.)

LABOUR CANDIDATE AND THE GOVERNMENT OF IRELAND.

Dr. Rutherford's first meeting was in the huge boiler shop of the North-Eastern Marine Engineering Works at the South Docks. It was large and attentive, and the candidate was delighted. Dr. Rutherford described the country as being more grossly mismanaged than since the days of George IV. The peace was no peace. Europe was on the verge of bankruptcy and still threatened with repeated revolutions. In Ireland the Government was a cruel oppressor, and the present Home Rule Bill would satisfy no section, because it divided the living body of Ireland into two parts. Labour would solve the Irish problem by an absolutely fearless application of the principle of self-determination, by letting Irishmen have their own Parliament and do jolly well what they liked. (Laughter.) In England the workers wanted economic freedom. The Prime Minister described Labour as Bolshevik, because he wanted to keep it down by force, just as he had exercised military force in Ireland and Egypt. So far from England being a land fit for heroes to live in, declared Dr. Rutherford, it was a paradise for profiteers, and a purgatory for the people.

Mr. Ernest Howe, the Independent Liberal candidate, visited the South Docks yesterday, and secured a strong workmen's vote in support of his candidature. Mr. Howe's principal line of attack upon the Coalition was in the matter of high prices and profiteering. He charged the Government with being directly responsible for some of the high prices to-day.

REDISCOVERIES—V.

THE ROYAL IRISH ACADEMY.

SOME FAMOUS MANUSCRIPTS.

(FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

It is said, though I cannot vouch for the accuracy of the story, that the Royal Irish Academy employs a special attendant to sit at the telephone and say: "No, madam; Miss Ophelia is not having her harpsichord lesson in No. 15 studio," and "Mr. O'Smeara's still-life classes will not begin here at 10 o'clock on Friday." This is not the public's fault, but that of the Earl of Charlemont who founded this learned Society, the subject of whose activities are "Polite Literature" and "Antiquities" and "Science," and whose knowledge of polite literature did not enable him to distinguish between an academy and a learned society. It all goes to show, however, how necessary it is that this illustrious, if little advertised, institution should be rediscovered for the benefit of the Irish public—even by one whose literature is of the impolite variety.

A vast amount of immensely valuable scientific and antiquarian research has been undertaken by the members of the Royal Irish Academy in the hundred and forty odd years of its existence, but it is to the learned societies, universities, and museums the world over, and not in the bosoms of Irish patriots, that you must look for an appreciation of its efforts. It does good, if not exactly by stealth, at least so unassumingly that it has never even thought fit to publish a pamphlet giving an account of itself. This shows an admirable spirit, but increases the difficulties of the impolite rediscoverer, whose reverence for Irish antiquities far exceeds his understanding of them. When I explained my inquisitive mission to the presiding genie of the spot they were kindness itself, and placed every facility at my disposal except a retentive memory and a *flair* for the Irish language.

The interests of the Royal Irish Academy are two-fold—antiquarian and scientific. Though it owns the valuable and interesting Moore Library, presented to it by the poet's mother after his death—Tom Moore was a member of the Academy—which is largely philosophical, polite literature, except in so far as it concerns Irish antiquities, history, philology, etc., does not appear to be pursued. The main library, which is one of the most complete of its kind, and is at the disposal of students and research-workers who are not members of the Academy, is wholly scientific and antiquarian, and is kept up to date largely by means of the exchange of publications with similar societies in Europe and America. New membership is limited to seven every year—a sufficiently large number when one considers how few men of science and antiquaries survive the struggle for existence, and how thoroughly impolite the world in general is. Mobile woman is not admitted to membership of the Academy. The President is elected every five years, and the Provost of Trinity College is the present holder of that office.

The Council of the Academy is divided into two Committees, one of which deals with scientific, the other with antiquarian matters. Papers are read at a meeting of the Society, which takes place once every fortnight, and are subsequently published, if deemed of sufficient importance, in the Society's "Transactions."

The general public is more likely to be interested in the possessions of the Academy rather than its proceedings. It has, in the first place, the finest and most valuable collection of Irish manuscripts in the world. Some of these treasures I was permitted to gaze upon. There is the *Domnach Airgid*, the oldest known manuscript written in Irish. It was written by St. Patrick, and the appearance of the manuscript suggests that several of his disciples had tried to light the fire with it. In far better preservation is the "Book of the Dun Cow," which was compiled somewhere about 1100 A.D. by the monks of Clonmacnoise on the Shannon. The monastery is now merely a ruin, but the soul of the Clan Macnoise goes marching on. The subjects covered by these laborious but calligraphically expert chroniclers include legendary history, Church matters, lives of the saints, folk lore, romance, and fairy tales—the counterpart, in a word, of the contents of any Irish newspaper of the present day. It is only fair to the good fathers of Clonmacnoise to say that they probably never guessed what dragon's teeth they were sowing when they assigned the hide of the dun cow to the library instead of to the shoemaker.

The "Great Book of Lecan" is three hundred years the junior of the "Book of the Dun Cow." It appears to have been compiled by one MacFurbis, of Lecan, in the County of Sligo, gent., and is mostly taken up with genealogy. It proves conclusively that anyone who is not descended from Finn Macoul or Cuchulain, the cattle-lifter, came here with Strongbow or King William, and has no business to be there. Somewhere about the year 1400 the Chiefs of Ballymote, a pretty hamlet which had not then been citified by the Midland Great Western Railway, began the compilation of the "Book of Ballymote." The "Book of Fermoy," which appeared about the same time, is largely a compilation of bardic poems. The "Speckled Book," which appeared somewhere between 1500 and 1600, is the first known book to be written partly in Irish and partly in Latin.

More interesting, perhaps, than any of these is the famous "Psalter of St. Columba." It appears that St. Columba borrowed a psalter from a neighbouring prelate and made a copy of it. The lender objected to this rank violation of the laws of copyright, and demanded back both the original and the copy. The dispute was referred to the High King of Ireland, who decreed that both original and copy should be restored. St. Columba announced, in a spirit that has earned the unqualified approval of Irish posterity, that, if the court could not see its way to deciding in his favour, it clearly had no jurisdiction over the case—and departed for Scotland.

In addition to its Irish manuscripts, the Academy has a very fine collection of Irish antiquities—gold and silver ornaments, shrines, implements, etc.—which are housed in the National Museum. It also owns the famous Halliday collection of Irish pamphlets. Space forbids me to dilate on the names of the learned and divine members of the Academy—such men as E. Hinks, Sir William Hamilton, J. H. Todd, and the late Provost of Trinity College—that have become household words wherever science and archæology are pursued. One day, perhaps, the Royal Irish Academy will decide to tell its own story.

IRISH CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES.

A further series of White Papers was issued yesterday, giving Civil Service Estimates for 1920-21. Those for Ireland are as follows:—

Lord Lieutenant's Household, £4,739—increase, £1,235.

The Chief Secretary for Ireland, £189,020—increase, £109,416.

Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, £546,257—increase, £27,669.

Charitable Donations and Bequests Office, £3,033—increase, £721.

Congested Districts Board, £169,750.

Public Record Office, £12,337—increase, £2,392.

Public Works Office, £71,784 — increase, £15,027.

Registrar General's Office, £20,053—increase, £3,458.

Valuation and Boundary Survey, £54,439—increase, £12,452.

Law Charges and Criminal Prosecutions, £69,854—increase, £5,201.

Supreme Court of Judicature, etc., £182,759—increase, £32,810.

Irish Land Commission, £1,118,783—increase, £196,428.

County Court Officers, etc., £172,722—increase, £46,811.

Dublin Metropolitan Police, £335,250—increase, £29,206.

Royal Irish Constabulary, £3,402,255—increase, £367,701.

Prisons, £203,448—increase, £21,431.

Reformatory and Industrial Schools, £146,951—increase, £21,077.

Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum, £18,227—increase, £3,981.

Local Government Board, £1,729,441.

National Health Insurance Commission, £442,380—increase, £5,435.

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THE RAGG VILLAGE MURDER.

EVIDENCE AT THE RESUMED INQUEST.

A CROSS-ROADS INCIDENT.

Telegraphing from Thurles yesterday, our Reporter says:—The inquest on the body of Thomas Dwyer, aged 20, a publican in the village of Bouladuff, popularly known as The Ragg, was resumed by Dr. Martin Fennelly at Inch National School to-day. The children attending the school were granted a holiday to enable the inquest to be held, and when the youngsters had trooped out a large force of armed police took possession of the schoolroom. The police also took up positions outside the schoolhouse. The attendance of the public was not very large. Dwyer was shot at his residence on the night of the 28th or morning of the 29th March.

Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. J. P. Carrigan and W. J. Skinner, solicitors), conducted the proceedings on behalf of the next-of-kin of the deceased man. Mr. Babington, K.C. (instructed by Mr. M. Gleeson, Crown Solicitor), appeared for the Crown. County Inspector Dunlop and District Inspector Golden represented the police.

Michael Ryan, Ballypatrick, examined by Mr. Lynch, stated that on Sunday evening, 28th March, he was at The Ragg cross-road about eight o'clock (old time). Four or five others were with him. While they were talking a man came up on a bicycle, got off it, and said, "Disperse and go home." The witness said, "We were all born and reared here, and we are at home." Another man came up on a bicycle and also dismounted. The two men drew revolvers and said, "Now, ye ——, will ye clear?"

Did anything happen to you? I had my hands in my pockets at the time, and I was knocked down by one of the men. That man had a revolver in his hand over me. My brother came up and said, "Let him up," and my brother was then covered with a revolver by the second man. I was allowed to get up then, and we all got away. I was, however, hurt, and my ankle is still sore. The two men were dressed in greyish overcoats. One had a greenish shade in his overcoat, and wore a soft hat of a brownish shade, while the second man had a greyish overcoat and wore a cap. As we moved away I heard two shots fired.

Did you ever see those two men before or since? I think I can identify one of them—the man with the cap who knocked me down.

Have you seen him since? No.

Have you seen him before? Yes, I think I saw him before, and I took stock of him on that night. He is a policeman in Dovea Barracks. The witness added that on Easter Monday a motor lorry came towards the Cross from the Borrisoleigh direction and proceeded in the Thurles direction. That was about eight o'clock (old time). The witness was about fifty or sixty yards from the lorry when it passed by, and he saw police in it. They were cheering and singing. The witness heard them say, "Dwyer, you ——, you are in your clay."

Cross-examined by Mr. Babington, the witness stated that beyond what he told he knew nothing about Dwyer's murder. Sergeant Foody afterwards came to him and made inquiries.

Mr. Babington—Did you tell him what you have told us to-day? I told him I would give him no statement.

Did you make any complaint to the police in Thurles or Dovea about the conduct of one of those constables? I did not.

Were the words, "Dwyer, you ——, you are in your clay," that you heard the police in the lorry use, set to music? Yes, they had a kind of rhyme about it.

Martin Barry, Liscreagh, stated that on Sunday, 28th March, he met two men half-way between The Ragg Cross and Dovea Barracks. Both men were cycling towards the Cross. One man got off his bicycle and asked the witness where he was going. He said that he was going home. The man then asked his name, and if he was anything to the man arrested the morning before. The witness said he was a brother. Then the man said "I must search you," which he did. The witness saw both men before and since.

The witness then identified a policeman whose name he heard was Constable Eakins. This man, the witness said, had the brown hat and green coat. The witness saw the other man last Sunday at Mass. He was in uniform then, but was not present that day. He was a clean shaven man. Both men belonged to Dovea Barracks. It was near 8 o'clock in the evening when those men met him. On Easter Monday evening the witness saw a motor lorry containing police pass through The Ragg, and heard shouting and singing.

Mr. Babington—Did you hear any expression? Yes, I heard them drawing down Dwyer's name.

Are you sure you heard them mention Dwyer's name? I am.

Patrick Lowry, Ballypatrick, an ex-soldier, stated, in reply to Mr. Lynch—I was at The Ragg Cross on Sunday evening, 28th March. I was there from 7 o'clock till 8 o'clock. I was there when Mr. Ryan was knocked down. The witness then corroborated the first witness as to the two men who came up on bicycles and ordered them away. The witness added that he saw one of the men at Mass last Sunday in a policeman's uniform. He was stationed at Dovea Barracks. The witness identified the man who wore the green coat and the soft hat as Constable Eakins, who was in court in police uniform. Continuing, the witness corroborated the two previous witnesses as to the passage of the police lorry on the evening of April 4th.

Cross-examined by Mr. Babington, it was not Constable Eakins, but the other man, who used bad language to Michael Ryan.

Martin Ryan, farmer, Ballypatrick, who was also at The Ragg Cross on Sunday evening, 28th March, gave corroborative evidence.

To Mr. Babington—After the shooting of Dwyer Sergeant Foody came to the witness, but he declined to give him any information.

Can you form any opinion as to the reason why those two men should have made such an attack on you? Unless that they wanted to have the place cleared for something else, the way they would have no one about the roads for what occurred later on.

In order that Dwyer might be shot—is that what you mean? Yes.

To Mr. Lynch—He noticed the condition of the two men; they had drink taken, and were excited.

Patrick Shortt, Ballypatrick, stated that on Easter Monday he saw a motor lorry filled with police at the Ragg, apparently coming from Thurles and going to Borrisoleigh. The police covered witness and John Toomey, who was with him, with their rifles. Since then one week evening, between seven and eight o'clock, when passing Dovea Barrack, two constables rushed out of a motor lorry and followed him and another man. They were called on to halt. They did so, and one of the constables used an objectionable expression towards him, and struck him on the jaw.

Cross-examined—The witness gave no provocation whatever for the attack.

WIDOWED SISTER'S EVIDENCE.

Mrs. Kate Delany, widow, a sister of the late Thos. Dwyer, stated:—I was in the house on the Sunday night of 28th March. There were also in the house my invalid uncle and my baby daughter, aged three years. My brother had been out that evening, and returned about 12 o'clock. He came to the window of my bedroom, first tapped, and asked was I asleep. I said no, and he said, "There is no danger: I think I will come in." I said, "If you think you are safe, come in," and I admitted him. He then went to his own room after lighting his candle. His bedroom is at the back of the house. After about five minutes, there was knocking at the door.

Mr. Lynch, K.C.—What sort of knocking was it? It was like the butt-ends of rifles—something heavy. I let them knock for a few minutes, and then went to the door, and said, "Who is there?" They said "Friends," and "Is Thomas Dwyer in?" I said that Tom was not in, and they said that they were perfectly certain that Tom was inside, and to open the door or they would break it in. I rushed to Tom's room, and let the knocking continue. I lit his candle, and said, "Tom, get up; you are going to be either shot or arrested." He appeared very frightened, and said, "Kit, won't you stay with me." I said that of course I would; but as the knocking increased he told me to admit them. In passing the kitchen door, I undid the lock, but did not raise the latch. My baby was then awakened by the noise, and I went to take her up. They burst in the door, and came in—five men came in, one after the other. I saw that the first man was disguised. His forehead and the upper part of his cheeks were blackened, and he wore a false beard. I yelled when I found him disguised, because I knew that they had come for no good purpose. He then presented a rifle at me, and said that if I yelled he would shoot me. I was then standing at my bedroom door. All the five men were carrying rifles, and the second man had a flash lamp. They were all disguised. Some of them wore dark coats and others light coats. I observed two of them—the first and last fellows. The first man wore a greyish overcoat, with a grey Trilby hat. He was the man who said that he would shoot me. He held me up until the four others went into Tom's room. The last man was dressed in a greenish overcoat and a brown Trilby hat. He had a white handkerchief tied round his neck, and had taken off his collar. He also had a false beard and was blackened.

Did the man who held you up at your bedroom door follow the others into your brother's room? Yes. They had two rooms to pass through before they came to my brother's door. He came out from his room, and I heard him say "Don't shoot, don't shoot" twice. They then fired two shots. I heard one of them say, "Has he got enough?" Another fellow answered, and said "No; fire another one into him," which he did. After that they came out from the room again, and one said, "Is there anyone else here to be shot?", and the other answered "No," and they walked out. That was about 12.20 a.m. (old time). My brother could not be in more than five minutes when the knocking came.

What was the general appearance of this body of men? They were of uniform size. One was smaller than the others. The first was a small man, the other three were of fair size, and the fifth man was taller. He might appear taller, because the others were in the hollow.

Do you remember some days after this occurrence a sergeant or an Inspector being at your house with some police? Yes, the County Inspector and District Inspector visited the house, and later in the day Sergeant Foody and three or four constables came. They were talking about what occurred the night before. One of the men said that their patrol met five men on bicycles the evening before, about 8 o'clock or thereabouts.

Since your brother was buried have you noticed the attitude of the police or of any bodies of police in passing the house? Yes, they yelled and jeered at us every time they passed. On Easter Monday, after yelling at The Ragg, they passed our house and said—"Dwyer is in, The Ragg is out." The witness added that after the attack on the Drumbane Police Barrack Sergeant Foody came to make inquiries and he took Tom outside. Afterwards Tom told her that the sergeant put a revolver up to his chest as if to frighten out of him if he knew anything about it.

Mr. Babington—Is it your case that since your brother was shot the police have been exulting over his death to you, his sister? Yes.

Do you know where the police in those vehicles were from, or where they were going to? They came from Nenagh direction, and were going to Thurles. On 29th March the witness gave a statement to Sergeant Foody, who read over her statement to her, and she signed it.

Mr. Babington—You then said nothing about one man having a green overcoat and a brown hat? The statement is altogether different to what I said to him.

You said nothing about one of them wearing a green overcoat and a brown hat. Why did you not say that, if your evidence to-day is true? There were plenty of witnesses there when I made my statement to Sergeant Foody, and they can tell what I did say to him. I told him that some of them wore different overcoats.

In reply to Mr. Lynch, she said that she thought that the men who came to her house on the night of the murder were police.

Why did you form that opinion? First and foremost, they were of uniform height, and then their movements led me to think that they were police.

Could you identify any of the men who were in your house? Yes, I think I can identify one of them. I saw him in uniform in a patrol from Dovea Barracks.

Mr. Lynch—When Sergeant Foody visited you was some reference made to the Berks? No, it was when County Inspector Dunlop and District Inspector Golden visited me. Some man passing at that time said that it was one of the Berks shot him.

Do you mean by one of the Berks a policeman? Yes, one of those military policemen they have in the police force now.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE.

Dr. Vincent Power, Borrisoleigh, stated that on making an examination of Dwyer's body he found a bullet wound about four inches below the left nipple, which passed through the lower lobe of his left lung and came out in his back at a lower level. He also found a wound of entrance of another bullet in the back, which bullet probably remained inside in the abdomen. A third bullet passed through his left wrist. Death was caused by hemorrhage and shock following the bullet wounds described.

AN EXPLOSION.

Mr. Richard Small, The Ragg, stated that on the morning of the 29th March an explosion took place outside his shop. On going down stairs he found the doors and windows of the shop blown away and the foundation of the house shaken. Next morning he found traces of a bomb having been exploded.

Miss Nora Callanan, The Ragg, stated that she heard the explosion of a bomb early on the morning of March 29th, and then footsteps running towards Dovea Barrack.

Mr. John Bannon, an ex-soldier, stated that he was in the house of the deceased man when Sergeant Foody interviewed Mrs. Delaney. Mrs. Delaney did not mention anything to him about one of the men wearing a green coat and brown hat, but he heard Mrs. Delaney tell the sergeant that one of the men wore a green coat.

Cross-examined by Mr. Babington, the witness said that he heard Mrs. Delaney speaking to Sergeant Foody. He was passing in and out at the time, but did not actually take part in the interview.

Thomas Hayes, postman, Thurles, gave evidence that after delivering letters on the morning of the 29th March at Dovea Barrack he found a hat on the ground about five or six yards from the barrack. It was a grey hat that he took to be velour. It struck him at the time that some of the sergeant's children might have left out the hat, and he threw it on to the lawn in front of the barracks. He afterwards saw the guard at the barracks, to whom he had previously given letters, come out of the barracks and take the hat into the barracks.

THE CASE FOR THE CROWN.

Mr. Babington, K.C., addressing the jury on behalf of the Attorney-General, said that his instructions were to produce for the purposes of the inquiry all the evidence that could possibly be afforded by the police books, police entries, and the police officials in charge of this district. They might agree with him or not, but so far as the authorities were concerned, it made absolutely no difference whether the person who was done to death was a policeman or civilian. The duty which they were endeavouring to fulfil was to see that in every case where a man had been foully murdered that the proper persons responsible were brought to retribution and justice. But it was very hard to do that unless proper assistance was given to the persons at the head of the force for the purpose of producing evidence to lead to conviction of the person suspected. On this particular occasion the County and District Inspectors visited the scene of the murder at the earliest possible moment. They were afforded no evidence of any sort that would give them a clue as to who committed the murder.

COUNTY INSPECTOR'S EVIDENCE.

County Inspector Dunlop stated that he visited The Ragg with District Inspector Golden on the morning of the occurrence. Mrs. Delaney told them that the murder had been committed about 12.30 or one o'clock. At the time she said that they wore Trilby hats and bright coats, but she could not identify any of the men. The witness and Mr. Golden then went to Dovea Barracks and found the sergeant and all the men present. They impounded the guard's book and the barrack diary, and no entry had been made in them since. The diary showed that a patrol had been out from 8 to 11 o'clock. Inquiries made amongst the two barrack orderlies and the sergeant elicited the fact that none of the police were out that night. The men appeared to be perfectly normal when he arrived, and up to the time they had heard nothing of the murder. The witness ordered a parade of the men, and asked to have all the ammunition served out produced. There was none missing, and all the arms were clean. The full number of bombs were also in the barrack. As far as he knew, none of the police in the district ever handled a bomb of the kind described to have been used at Mr. Small's house.

Cross-examined by Mr. Lynch—He assumed that the barrack books were correct. The ammunition was checked by a book in the barrack, which was kept by the sergeant. Constable Eakens was present in the barrack on the Sunday preceding the occurrence. He returned to barrack about a quarter to six, and called the roll at 10 p.m. The force consisted of one sergeant and fourteen constables.

District Inspector Golden stated that it was in Thurles that he heard of the shooting. He heard a man say that Dwyer was shot by the police at The Ragg. He reported the matter to the County Inspector, and they made inquiries. No information relating to the murder was given to them. The witness appealed to Mrs. Delaney to give him any information that she possessed, and she said that all the information that she had was given to Sergeant Foody.

SERGEANT FOODY EXAMINED.

Sergeant Foody, Dovea, stated that he was in and about the barrack on March 28th. At eight o'clock he went out on patrol with five constables until eleven o'clock. He only saw two men when he was out. They were James Ryan and Wm. Callanan. About a quarter to nine he passed through The Ragg, and returned about half-past ten. There was nobody then to be seen. He heard no shots when out. Constable Eakens was in uniform in the barrack when he was leaving, and all the men were present when he returned. Constable McQuillan was on guard during the night with Constable Thos. Donnelly. The witness heard no report of shots during the night. Mrs. Delaney made no mention in her statement about a man wearing a brown hat and a green coat.

Cross-examined by Mr. Lynch, the witness said that he was in Dovea since September, 1917. He had two summonses against the deceased man for breaches of the Lighting Act, both of which were dismissed. He remembered interrogating deceased at the time of the attack on Drombane Barracks. It was not true that he put a revolver to his chest then. A number of police went out for a walk on the evening that Dwyer was shot, but he could not say when they went out or when they came in.

The proceedings were then adjourned till to-morrow (Thursday).

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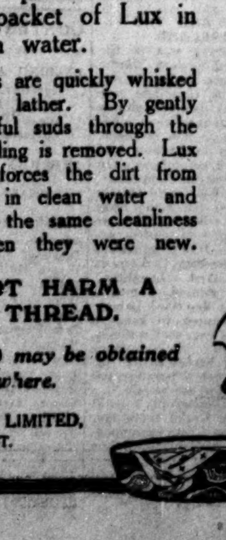

NEW ISSUES.

THE INTER-NORTHERN CORPORATION, LTD.

The prospectus appears to-day of the Inter-Northern Corporation, which has been formed under strong auspices primarily for the purpose of financing and assisting sound industrial enterprises in the United Kingdom, to conduct and finance business with foreign countries, and to establish and maintain branches and agencies abroad. On these lines substantial business is already assured, and all the money now obtained, except preliminary expenses of £8,000, will be available for the purposes of the company. The capital is £250,000, in 245,000 preferred ordinary shares of £1 each and 100,000 deferred ordinary shares of 1s. each. The present issue is 245,000 pref. ordinary and 100,000 def. at par. 120,000 pref. ord. and 75,000 def. shares have been applied for by the directors and their friends, and applicants who get allotments will be entitled to one deferred to every five pref.-ordinary. Applications for deferred shares alone will not be considered. The pref.-ordinary get 7 p.c. and one-half of the surplus divisible profits. The board is a strong one, and there is great scope for the operations of the company. The share list will close on or before Tuesday, April 20. (Prospectus Page 7.)

THE ANGLO-CELTIC SHIPPING COMPANY, LTD.

George Clare and Co. invite applications at par for 400,000 out of the 500,000 ordinary £1 shares of the Anglo-Celtic Shipping Company, Ltd., of Cardiff, which has been formed to purchase the steamers Oakfield, Inverness, Dumfries, and Caithness of a total dead-weight tonnage of 25,597 tons. Three of them have been purchased from the Western Counties Shipping Company, and several of the directors of that concern are on the board of the Anglo-Celtic. The total value of the steamers acquired is put at £585,000, and the purchase price is £580,000, which will be provided out of the proceeds of the present issue and by a loan of £200,000 from the company's bankers. The directors are satisfied that the steamers are now making a profit of £142,296 per annum, and out of this it is proposed to pay 20 p.c. on the ordinary shares, £14,000 interest on the loan, and place £48,000 to depreciation. Messrs. Griffiths, Payne, and Co. will undertake the management of the steamers. 50,000 of the shares have been applied for by the directors and their friends, and the shares now offered appear to be an attractive shipping investment. The list will close on or before Tuesday, April 20. (Prospectus Page 7.)

THE GENERAL STRIKE.

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was little to receive in the way of mail bags in the morning, while the evening boat brought only about eighty passengers and no mails. The latter fact is, perhaps, unique in the long history of the mail service. The Carlisle Pier is still heaped with luggage and postal bags. It is expected that the work of removing these will be begun at an early hour this morning.

DULL DAY AT THE NORTH WALL.

A large consignment of fish which had come from Holyhead to the North Wall on Monday night last, and in ordinary circumstances would have gone on by train to the country, was yesterday disposed of rapidly, and in small quantities, to purchasers, who were called upon to pay very modest prices.

Little work was yesterday performed at any of the cross-Channel lines of steamers at the Liffey, nor were the Guinness sea-going vessels or river steam lighters interrupted in their rest. Coal cargoes remained undischarged, and the railway goods yards remained closed.

THE STRIKE IN THE PROVINCES.

THE SITUATION IN BELFAST.

Work again proceeded as usual in Belfast yesterday, and the request for a strike by the Irish Trades Congress was not generally observed. The members of the Union who went on strike on Tuesday at the foreign and deep water dock did not return yesterday morning, and the transport workers employed at the coal quay also left their work in the morning, but no members of the National Union of Dockers have taken an active part in the strike. The shipyards, mills, factories, and other places are working as usual. A meeting of the Belfast branch of the Irish National Union of Vintners', Grocers', and Allied Trades Assistants held on Tuesday night passed a resolution regretting their inability to participate in the all-Ireland strike owing to the short notice. The mails from England reached Belfast via Larne and Stranraer, and also by the Fleetwood route, and mails from Belfast will be despatched by the same routes, instead of via Kingstown and Holyhead.

DISGRACEFUL INCIDENT IN WATERFORD.

Our Waterford Correspondent says that yesterday large bodies of pickets, armed with sticks, marched through Waterford. All motors were held up at Waterford Bridge and compelled to return, accompanied by a picket, to the City Hall, where permits were dealt with. A number of women and children, with some ex-soldiers, who assembled at the corner of Broad street, boohed the pickets and shouted, "Up, Redmond." The pickets continued pacing up and down for some time, and when reinforcements arrived they charged, and some violent encounters took place. Excitement ran high for a couple of hours. Amongst the incidents of the picketing was the holding up of the weekly meeting of the Board of Guardians. At a meeting on the Mall the announcement was made of the shooting of a policeman in Dublin, and it was received with cheers.

SLIGO EX-SOLDIERS' RESOLUTION.

Over two hundred ex-soldiers, headed by Martin Moffat, V.C., paraded Sligo yesterday, and were joined by the citizens. At a subsequent meeting a resolution was passed demanding the release of the prisoners, and stating that should the occasion demand their services they were now with the Irish people in their fight.

INCIDENTS IN GALWAY.

At a meeting of the Galway Workers' Council, pickets were appointed to patrol the streets. It was determined to demand the wages from the employers as usual, and to deal in the future with those who refused to pay. There was a general rush for the shops, which were opened for a short period, and the pawn offices were besieged. The police and military were altogether withdrawn from the streets on Tuesday night, and crowds patrolled them in the dark and sang songs and let off "slap-bangs." The Workers' Council compelled countrymen who came to the market and asked 30s. a load for turf to sell it at 14s. a load, and they fixed the quantity of meat and groceries which each householder is to have.

SERIOUS AFFAIR AT ADAVOYLE.

Our Newry Correspondent telegraphs that last evening, between 4 and 5 o'clock, the signal cabin at Adavoyle, on the Great Northern system, was attacked and smashed up by between 40 and 50 strikers. The driver of the 3 o'clock train from Dublin on approaching the station observed men, and, fearing an attempt to hold up the train, accelerated speed and came through safely to Goraghwood Junction, where he reported the occurrence. The news of the release of the hunger-strikers was celebrated by a turn out of the Sinn Fein and Nationalist bands.

FAIR STOPPED AT CARRICK-ON-SHANNON

At Carrick-on-Shannon the pig fair had to be abandoned, sales being forbidden. The American and Sinn Fein flags floated from the Town Hall building. The schools were compelled to close. A bread famine is feared in the town, the bakers having no yeast supplies.

At Ballinamore the rails have been torn up on the Cavan and Leitrim Railway, and an engine was thrown into a bog.

LIMERICK SUPPLIES RUNNING LOW.

The situation was becoming acute in Limerick, all places of business being closed, and food supplies difficult to obtain. The Post Office was guarded by policemen during the day, and the Post Office clerks who remained on duty were groaned at by a crowd when leaving work in the evening.

Telegrams from Tipperary, Newbridge, Monasterevan, Ennis, Wicklow, Claremorris, Boyle, and various other places show that all business was suspended yesterday.

CASTLEBLAYNEY.

There was a complete stoppage of work in Castleblayney yesterday. On Tuesday night the people were warned that no market would be held next day, and that the workmen had been ordered to cease work as a protest against the treatment of the Mountjoy prisoners. Any shops which were opened yesterday morning were closed at the order of pickets, who then went to the outskirts of the town and turned back all traffic intended for the market. Banks, with the exception of the Bank of Ireland, were closed. Farm labourers marched into the town, and made a sympathetic demonstration on behalf of the prisoners. The employés of the Great Northern Railway Company were met on their way to work and asked to join in the protest. Shortly before noon a passenger train arrived from Enniskillen, carrying a number of visitors to the market. Pickets boarded the engine, and induced the driver and fireman to shut off steam. The stationmaster asked permission to have the train allowed to return, and this request was granted. Some passengers, including Mr. Shiels, whose son was on hunger strike in Mountjoy, secured motor cars to convey them to Dublin. Butter, milk, and meat were sold during the day.

THE BURNING OF POLICE BARRACKS.

In connection with the recent burnings of barracks in Clare claims have been lodged for compensation as follows:—Doolin Barrack, £5,000; Castlefergus and Loughraney Barracks, £4,000 each; Ballynacally, Knock, including the dispensary and courthouse, and O'Callaghan's Mills, £3,000 each; Bodyke, Whitegate, Maurice's Mills, Farorenore, Ardnacrusha, Bunratty, Carron, Carrahan, Kilmore, O'Gonnolloe, Crusheen, Liscannor, £2,000 each; Lahinch Barrack, £2,500; Kilkishen, £1,800.

The Inland Revenue Commissioners claim £3,000 for books, etc., burned at Miltown-malbay, and £3,000 for books destroyed at Kilfenora. The total claims already lodged amount to £64,000.

Athleague Barrack, Co. Roscommon, which was lately vacated, was destroyed on Tuesday night.

The Mullagh R.I.C. barrack was demolished on Sunday night. The roof was completely destroyed. The police vacated the barrack some months ago.

BIG CLAIM ON GALWAY COUNCIL.

The income tax authorities at Galway are claiming £100,000 from the Galway Urban Council as consequential damages for the burning of their papers and books. This amount represents 30s. in the £ on the rates of the township.

EXCITING INCIDENT IN NORTH WALL GOODS YARD.

There was some excitement at the Port last night, when two motor vehicles, containing police and military, were conveyed to the North Wall to the vicinity of the goods yards of the Great Southern and Western Railway Co., where, it was stated, shots had been fired. It appeared that a watchman had detected a man making off with a cheese from the goods stores, and promptly challenged the intruder. The man was stated to have fired two or three shots, presumably from a revolver, but without hitting the watchman. The looter escaped via Lower Sheriff street, and got clear away.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE IN ENGLAND.

The Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland are officially informed that an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease was confirmed in England on Tuesday—at Frettenham, near Norwich. In view of the recurrence of the disease, the Department regret that the modification which they contemplated of the embargo on live stock and hay and straw importations must be postponed for the present.

BANK CLERKSHIPS (MALE).

Bank of Ireland exam. announced for May or June. Hibernian Bank exam. announced for May. National Bank exam. announced for May. 45 Bank Clerkships have been obtained by Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, since Jan., 1918. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes ... —(Advt.)

Fashionable Intelligence

The Earl of Midleton, on leaving Dublin last week, went on a visit to Sir Penrose Fitzgerald in County Cork. He has now returned to London.

The Earl and Countess of Ranfurly have arrived in London from Northland House, Dungannon.

Lord and Lady Castlemaine are the guests of Sir Harold and Lady Nutting at St. Helen's, County Dublin.

Lord Inchcape has arrived in London from the Continent.

Lord and Lady Atholstan and the Hon. Alice Graham have arrived in London.

Sir Francis Denys Burton has returned to Pollacton Hall, Carlow, from London.

Sir Joseph Byrne has returned to Dublin from London.

Dr. Stafford Johnson has returned to 21 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

The Viscountess Powerscourt will preside at meeting for Grand May Fête to be held in Theatre, Royal Dublin Society, Kildare street, to-day at 3 p.m. Doors open at 2.30. Helpers are requested to attend at 2.20. Admission free.

The Kildare Hunt Ball, announced to take place on the 16th inst., has been cancelled.

Switzer's Millinery Buyer has returned from Paris with the latest and most exclusive Model Hats.—Switzer and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

For the Races—New Millinery, New Veils, Gloves, Scarfs, Blouses, at Holmes', George's st.

Punchestown Races—Campbell and Strahan, 11 Wicklow street, are showing Exclusive Models in Costumes and Race Coats.

Spring Suits for Town or Country wear.—Pearson and Co., 64 Dawson street.

New Models and Materials for Smart Spring and Summer Costumes, Coat Frocks, etc. Ready-to-wear Costumes at moderate prices.—Mumford, 18 Suffolk street, Dublin.

Miss Eleanor Persse, 16 Kildare street, has returned to Dublin and is showing a magnificent display of Antiques, including 17th and 18th century Furniture, Glass, Silver, China, etc.

Fascinating undies at Slyne's, Grafton street and Harry street.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers:—Professor T. A. Smiddy, Sub.-Lieut. R. T. Grogan, Lieut. R. L. G. Wright, Major and Mrs. B. C. Riall, Lieut.-Com. G. E. Browne, Lady Langford, Rev. and Mrs. Mayne, Brig.-Gen. and Mrs. Allgood, Capt. F. S. Shirley, Major Lanyon, Major H. Cotry, Lieut. Falls, Sir John Moore, M.D., D.L.; Col. A. Harty, J. Pullar Phibbs, W. H. Bredin, R. H. Colvill, A. W. Carter, F. D. Knight, P. F. Scanlan, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Thornhill, G. W. Rooke, M. Jacob, C. L. Jameson, C. J. Poulton, Reginald T. Harris, Edward W. Roe, A. C. Cooke, E. S. and S. J. Pelan, R. H. Bland, G. S. Spiller, Miss Crowe, Mrs. Denis Lyons, Mrs. Gunnell, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Widger, Miss Dysart, Miss R. C. Kennedy, Miss V. A. Poulton, Miss Read, Miss Hoy, Miss E. B. Warren.

Departures from Kingstown by Royal Mail Steamers—Lieut. W. J. Hopkins, Capt. T. W. Metcalfe, Lady Roche, Major, Mrs. and Miss Scaife, Gentleman Cadet Peyton, Col. W. H. Black, Sir Thomas Robinson, Lady Cecilia Goff, Col. and Mrs. De Costa, Earl of Midleton, His Grace the Duke of Abercorn, Sir George Roche, General Dawson, Lord Oranmore and Browne, S. H. Wilmot, Edward Fitzgerald, A. O. Exham, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Place, R. G. H. Russell, A. Boyes Cooper, A. C. E. West, T. W. Kerrigan, H. W. Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. Connell, H. A. Johnstone, Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, H. B. Moorhead, J. Barrington Jellett, R. James, King Morgan, Mrs. Harold Tompkins, Miss A. McAsey, Miss W. Lowan, Miss D. McCombie, Miss P. Martin, Miss Sherlock, Miss Rita Roche, Mrs. C. Pemberton, Miss Doreen Pemberton, Mrs. W. J. Peyton, Miss Peyton, Miss Blood Smyth, Mrs. Bradbery, Mrs. Ingram, Miss Bond, Mrs. Bowley, Mrs. Taffe, Misses Kane and Stanley, Miss Young.

Special Show of Smart Styles for Races at McBirney's.

"Spirella Corsets."—The Spirella Corset Parlour, 45 Grafton street, Dublin.

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THE IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

INTERESTING ANNUAL REPORT.

The report of the Irish Land Commission for the period from the 1st of April, 1918, to the 31st of March, 1919, was issued yesterday as a Blue Book.

JUDICIAL RENTS.

During the year the entire number of fair rents' notices disposed of was 256. The entire number of such applications disposed of both by the Land Commission and Civil Bill Courts from the date of the passing of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, to the 31st March, 1919, was as follows:—For a first Statutory term, 297,797; for a second Statutory term, 113,443, and for a third Statutory term, 4,989—total, 416,229. Since April 1st, 1918, 207 direct applications were made to the Land Commission to fix fair rents, of which 80 were for a first Statutory term, 54 were for a second Statutory term, and 73 were for a third Statutory term. In the same period 37 applications were made to the Civil Bill Courts, of which eight were transferred to the Land Commission. Of the 37 applications so made to the Civil Bill Courts there were 18 first Statutory term applications, nine second Statutory term, and 10 applications were made for a third Statutory term. Of these, one first term, four second term, and three third term applications were transferred to the Land Commission in the year. Thus, during the year 244 applications to fix fair rents were made to both the Land Commission and the Civil Bill Courts.

APPEALS.

Since the Irish Land Act, 1903, came into operation all appeals in cases arising out of the Land Law Acts have, in pursuance of Section 88 of that Act, been heard by one judicial Commissioner, assisted by a lay assessor. One hundred and eighty-three appeals from the Civil Bill Courts and applications for re-hearings from the decisions of the Sub-Commissioners were heard during the year under review at three sittings held in Dublin, and 18 in the country. Sittings were also held in Dublin for the disposal of motions and other Court business; 30 appeals were withdrawn, making a total of 213 of such applications disposed of during the year under review. The total number of appeals disposed of since the passing of the Land Act of 1881 to the 31st March, 1919, was 103,689. During the year 109 appeals were lodged, as against 189 lodged in the previous year. The total number of appeals lodged or reinstated to the 31st March, 1919, was 103,780. The total number of appeals pending on 1st April, 1915, was 1,093; on the 1st April, 1916, 802; on the 1st April, 1917, 479; on the 1st April, 1918, 195; and on the 31st March, 1919, 91.

THE SUMMARY ACT, 1903.

From the commencement of the Act of 1903 to the 31st March, 1919, 15,541 applications, representing £2,790,804, have been received. Of these, advances amounting to £2,590,445 in respect of 14,620 applications have been provisionally sanctioned, and 184 applications for £43,216 have been dismissed for delay, defects in title, irregularity, insufficiency of security, and other reasons. Over 14,130 applications for loans, amounting to £2,458,230, have been made during the same period. These latter include 10,162 loans to tenants for £1,503,607 on resale by the Congested Board of estates purchased by it. Of this, £429,446 was paid direct to the Board, while £1,074,161 was written off the Board's liability in respect of advances made to it under the Act of 1903 for the purchase of the estates in question. These loans, with 35 loans for £274,926 made in cash to the Congested Districts Board for the purchase of estates pursuant to Sections 72 and 77 of the Act of 1903, and for the purposes of Section 2(1) of the Congested Districts Board Act of 1899, bring the total amount of loans made under the Act of 1903 (exclusive of advances made by the Estates Commissioners or for the purpose of the Labourers Acts) to £2,733,156.

THE SUMMARY ACT, 1909.

During the period from the commencement of the Act of 1909 up to the 31st March, 1919, 673 applications, representing £162,563, have been received. Of these, 617 for £141,227 have been provisionally sanctioned; 10 for £12,054 have been dismissed, and 572 loans for £132,684 have been made in Guaranteed 3 p.c. Stock. The latter included 19 loans for £2,603 to tenants on resale by the Congested Districts Board of estates purchased by it. These loans, with 19 loans for £90,891 made in Guaranteed 3 p.c. Stock to the Congested Districts Board for the purchase of estates pursuant to Sections 72 and 77 of the Act of 1903, bring the total amount of loans made under the Act of 1909 (exclusive of advances made by the Estates Commissioners) to £223,575.

CHURCH TEMPORALITIES.

The property of the late Established Church, which was vested in the Land Commission in 1881, produced, during the year, a total receipt of £258,975, including £60,456 received for the proceeds of sales of property and the redemption of income out of the sums so received, and the balance brought forward from the previous year. Payments were made during the year amounting to £178,868 for annual charges on the Church Fund, and £75,000 was invested.

THE CORK MURDER.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Colonel Wedgwood, for Lieut.-Commander Kenworthy, asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland whether the Government had proofs that the late Alderman Thomas MacCurtain, Lord Mayor of Cork, was murdered by a secret society; and, if so, why this evidence had not been brought forward at the coroner's inquest on the deceased.

Mr. Denis Henry—It must be obvious to my hon. and gallant friend that I cannot give the information he asks for.

MOTOR BOATS BLOWN UP.

Our Strabane Correspondent telegraphed last night:—Two motor boats, plying on the west coast of Donegal, including a police boat, have been blown up.

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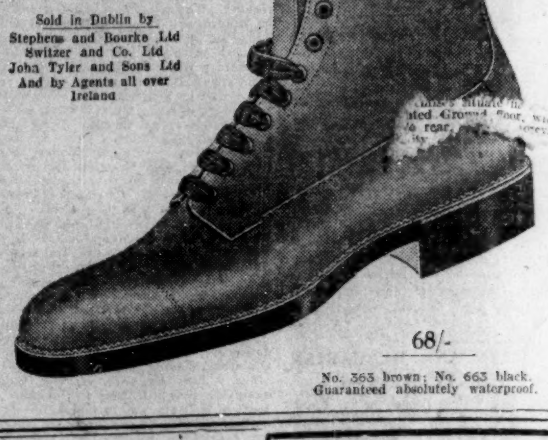

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THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED STRONG.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The Stock market to-day opened strong on the overnight news seeming to indicate that the height of the railroad strike had been reached. There was persistent buying of popular Specialities, which was influenced by the declarations of extra dividends, or the expectations of such dividends being declared in the near future. Shipping and Food Issues, particularly Sugars, were the features of the session. Railroads advanced 1 to 2 and Specialities 1 to 12 points. The closing was strong.

The American Tobacco Company has declared a dividend of 75 per cent. on the Preference Stock.

Regarding dividends on the Class B. Common Stock, the Woolworth shareholders will vote on the 19th May on an increase of the Common Stock from 50 million to 100 million dollars, and also a 30 per cent. dividend. The annual gross earnings were 20,411,000 dollars.

CLOSING PRICES:—

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Tues.	Wed.	Business Done. H.	L.
122 1/16	U.S. 2% Funded	101⅝	101⅝	—	—
129¼	U.S. New 4% Loan	106⅛	106⅛	—	—
102 3/16	Atch., Top. Santa Fe	81	81¼	—	—
98½	Do. Preference	78	78¼	—	—
93 1/16	Do. New 4% Gen. Mt.	74⅛	73⅞	—	—
103⅜	Do. 4% Con. Bds.	82	82	—	—
42 1/16	Baltimore and Ohio	33¼	33⅜	—	—
148½	Canadian Pacific	121	121¾	—	—
69½	Chesap'ke Ohio Com.	55	55	—	—
46½	Chic. Mil. & St. Paul	36⅝	37	—	—
107 1/16	Chicago & N. West	85	85	—	—
136 1/16	Do. Preferred	112	112	—	—
8 1/16	Denver & Rio Grande	6½	6½	—	—
16 1/16	Do. Preferred	12¾	12¾	—	—
17 1/16	Erie Railroad	13¼	13⅞	—	—
26½	Do. 1st Preferred	21	21	—	—
52 1/16	Do. 4% Gt. Lien Bds.	41¾	41⅞	—	—
98½	Gt. Northern Pref.	76¼	78	—	—
48⅞	Do. Ore Certificates	37⅛	38¾	—	—
111	Illinois Central	87	88	—	—
5 1/16	Interboro' Cons Con.	4	4	—	—
55¾	Lehigh Valley	43½	44¼	—	—
124⅞	Louisville & Nashville	104	103	—	—
10⅛	Miss'ri, Kan. & Texas	8½	8⅛	—	—
36⅞	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. Bd.	29¼	29½	—	—
33⅛	Missouri Pacific New	28⅛	26¾	—	—
10⅝	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	14*	8	—	—
6 9/16	Do. 2nd Pf.	6*	5¼	—	—
90½	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R.	71⅜	72	—	—
118 3/16	Norfolk & Westn Com.	93	94	—	—
99	Northern Pacific Com.	77½	78½	—	—
24	Ontario & Western	19	19	—	—
51 1/16	Pennsylvania Shares	40⅞	40½	—	—
105 1/16	Reading Shares	83	84	—	—
44¼	Do. 1st Preferred	35	35½	—	—
95 1/16	Do. 4% Mt. Bds.	76¼	75	—	—
44⅞	Chic., Rock I., Pacific	34½	35¼	—	—
27¾	Southern Railway	22¼	22	—	—
71⅛	Do. Preferred	56½	56½	—	—
124⅞	Southern Pacific	98⅛	91	—	—
52 1/16	Texas and Pacific	41⅛	42	—	—
145 1/16	Union Pacific	119¼	119½	—	—
79 1/16	Do. Pref.	64	63	—	—
99 1/16	Do. 4% Bonds	79½	78¾	—	—
10¾	Wabash Common	8⅛	8⅛	—	—
32¼	Do. Preferred A	25⅛	25¼	—	—
85⅜	Amr. Smlt. Refin. Com.	67¾	67⅞	—	—
79 1/16	Anaconda Copper	63	63¼	—	—
27½	British American Tobacco Ord. New	21	21½	—	—
95 1/16	Utah Copper	75¾	76	—	—
108 1/16	N.Y. Cons. Gas	85	86	—	—
189 1/16	General Electric	153	154¼	—	—
112½	National Lead	88½	89¼	—	—
123	U.S. Steel Common	105¼	105½	—	—
136 1/16	Do. Preferred	111⅝	111⅞	—	—
117 1/16	Do. 2nd 5% Bds.	94	93	—	—
124⅛	Bethlehem Steel Cm. New "B"	97⅜	98½	—	—
—	Silver Commerc'l Bars	119	119½	—	—
124 3/16	Anglo-French 5% Loan	98⅛	98¼	—	—
47⅛	Inter. M.M. Com. Cts.	37⅛	37½	—	—
122 1/16	Do. Prefd. Certs.	96½	97	—	—
138 1/16	Royal Dutch Oil	109¼	113¾	—	—
103 1/16	Shell Transport	80⅜	81⅜	—	—
247 1/16	Mexican Petroleum	205	204	—	—
139½	Pan-American Pet.	112	114⅛	—	—
—	Do. Pref.	—	—	—	—
—	Mexican Eagle	—	—	—	—

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	Tuesday. 9b. 10a.	Wednesday. 9b. 10a.
Call Money		
Ex. on Lond'n, 60 days' sight	3.90.50	3.91.75
Ex. on Lond'n, Demand Bills	3.94.50	3.95.75
Cable Transfers	3.95.25	3.96.50
Ex. on Paris, sight	16.37.00	16.17.00
Berlin Cheques	1.81	1.73
Cotton, Middling, Upland	43.00	43.00
Cotton Seed Oil, P. Summer, Yellow Spot	19.25	19.50
Cotton Seed Oil, Yellow, May	18.33	18.43
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	27.00	27.00
Do. Standard, White	23.50	23.50
Do. Credit Bal. (high dens'y)	158	155
Spirits of Turpentine	240	240
Lard, Prime Western Steam	19.22½	19.22½
Do. Midland West	19.20—30	19.20—30
Tallow, Special	14¾	14¾
Sugar, 96 Test, Centrifugal	18.05—32	18.55
Corn, Western, No. 2 Mixed	190½	191
Wheat, No. 2 Red. Winter	307	310
Do. No. 2 Hard Winter	307	310
Do. No. 2 Dark Spring	Nominal.	Nominal.
Coffee, Rio No. 4	15⅛	15½
Flour, Spring Clears	10.00—11.00	10.00—11.00
Iron, No. 2 North'n. Foundry	45—46	45—46
Tin, Straits	63.25	63.25
Copper, Spot	19—19¼	19—19¼
Electrolytic Copper, Spot	Steady.	Steady.
Freight, Grain, steamer to Liverpool, per bushel	45—55	45.55
Freight, Grain, steamers to London, per bushel	45—55	45.55
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool	130—150	130—150
PHILADELPHIA.		
Petroleum, Standard White	23.50	23.50
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling	41.50	41.50
SAVANNAH.		
Spirits of Turpentine	240	220
Resin, Grade K	17.10	17.25

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

WHEAT—Spot market firm, 3c. up for red and hard winter. Receipts—Atlantic 174,000, last year 413,000; clearances 354,000, last year 446,000.

CORN on spot steady at ½c. gain. Receipts—Atlantic 81,000, last year 31,000; clearances nil, last year nil.

LARD—Cash quiet.

SUGAR—Spot strong; Futures easier at 5 to 15 points fall. May, 18.00; July, 18.25; August, 18.35; September, 18.40. To-day's sugar sales totalled 15,000 bags of Cuban to refiners at 18.55, for prompt shipment; and 10,000 bags of Porto Rico to refiners at 18.55, for prompt shipment.

COTTON opened steady, but 15 to 8 points lower. The market closed steady, but 15 to 35 points down on the day. Spot steady and unchanged. New Orleans spot unaltered. Receipts—Atlantic, 6,000; Gulf, 10,000. Exports—Britain, 2,000; Continent, 9,000.

	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
To-day	41.45	41.40	39.90	39.02	37.30	36.35
Prev. day	41.60	41.55	40.15	39.25	37.55	36.60
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
To-day	35.11	34.20	34.00	33.05	32.65	32.26
Prev. day	35.28	34.45	34.22	33.30	32.85	32.50

COTTON OIL steady, 25 to 10 points up.

PETROLEUM, TALLOW, IRON, and TIN steady. ZINC (East St. Louis), 8.50. ELECTROLYTIC COPPER steady; Futures, 19½ to 19⅝.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat firm, 2c. up; No. 2 hard winter, 280.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat dull; No. 2 red winter nominal.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat strong, 7½c. higher; No. 1 Northern spring, 300.

WINNIPEG—Wheat—No. 1 Manitoba unchanged. Oats firm, ½c. up; May, 107⅞. Wheat—Car-lot receipts—No. 1 hard nil, yesterday nil; No. 1 Northern 36,000, yesterday 138,000; No. 2 Northern 35,000, yesterday 77,000; No. 3 Northern 5,000, yesterday 30,000; No. 4 Northern nil, yesterday 3,000; other grades 55,000, yesterday 111,000. To-day's total 151,000, yesterday 359,000.

CHICAGO, Wednesday.

WHEAT on the spot dull.

CORN opened firm, ½c. to ⅜c. up. The market closed steady, ½c. to ⅜c. up. May, 167⅞; July, 161; September, 156.

OATS firmer, ⅜c. to ½c. higher. May, 95⅝; July, 86⅛; September, 73⅜.

PROVISIONS opened firm, and rose on a firmer hog market. The market closed irregular, with lard unchanged to 5 up, pork 20 to 2½ higher, and ribs 10 down to 2½ points up. Lard—May, 19.42½; July, 20.25; September, 20.87½. Pork—May, 36.70; July, 37.15. Ribs—May, 18.12½; July, 18.70; September, 19.12½.

BACON steady.

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Previous day	17.50	18.25	15.15	16.50	14.50	15.35

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PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—Business done:—5 p.c. War Loan, 87⅞; Coats, 62/6, 62/3; Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson, 11¼; British-American Tobacco Ord., 5⅞; Imperial Tobacco Co., 51/6, 51/9; Dunlop Rubber, 10⅛, 10¼, 10; White, Tomkins, Ord., new, 21/-; Mexican Eagles Ord., 10⅞; Burmah Oil, 17¼; Maypole Def., 15/6, 15/9.

BIRMINGHAM.—Prices tending downward. Vauxhalls tumbled sharply; Rolls and Swifts were out of favour; Dunlops unchanged; Pools weak. Austins, 21/-; Belsize, 30/-; Components, 19/-; do. Def., 18/6; Crossleys, 29/-; Darracqs, 29/6; Enfields, 33/-; Humbers, 26/-; Napiers, 22/-; Rolls, 41/-; Rover, 37/6; Singers, 71/6; Sunbeams, 53/-; Swifts, 43/6; Triumphs, 60/-; Vauxhall, 21/6; do. Def., 61/-; Dunlop Pools, 16/-; Dunlops, 10⅛.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles well supported, but closed below best. Bleachers, 53/-54/-; do. Pref., 16/9-17/-; Coats, 3⅛-3⅜; Fine Spinners, 5¼-5⅜; do. Pref., 15/-15/6; Sewing Cotton, 54/-55/-; do. Pref., 15/-15/6; Bradford Dyers, 57/-57/6; do. Pref., 17/3-17/6; Velvets, 40/-41/-; do. Pref., 15/6-16/-; Stubbers, 11/9-12/-; Calicos, 41/-42/-; do. Pref., 14/-14/3.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON.—British General (x.d.), 29/9, 30/-, 29/3, 4½d.; Eagle Star, 17½; Employers' Liability, 51, ½; General Accident, 87/6, 9/4½, 7½d.; International Marine, 20/-, 18/1½; London and Lancashire, 60⅛, 1; London, 11½, £11 0/9, 3/6; London Guarantee, 62½, 1, 3½, 3, 62 3/6; Northern, 16½, ⅛; ditto Letters, 3/6; Royal Exchange, 488; Traders and General, 6, 6, 3d., 9d., 7/-; Victory, 8/3; Western Alliance, 18/-, 17/7½, 6d.; World's Auxiliary, 17/9, 18/-.

SALES IN LIVERPOOL.—Employers' Liability (x.d.), 50/1/6; Guardian, 7¼; London and Lancashire Fire 5 p.c.; Law Union, 94, ½; London Assurance, 11½, 11; Northern, 16¼, ½; Phoenix, 11½; Royal, 20⅛, ¼; Sea, 5, 4¾; Sun, 16½, 1⅛.

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344 SALISBURY HO[...]

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The whole of the proceeds of the capital sub[...] capital and the general purposes of the Company[...] liminary expenses of its formation and the issu[...] riding commissions and brokerage.

The minimum subscription upon which the D[...] Articles at 7 shares, but 120,000 Preferred Ord[...] already been applied for, the Directors will proce[...]

The Articles provide that each Share shall b[...]

The qualification of a Director is the holdin[...] Company. The Directors' remuneration is to be[...] man receiving £300, all such remuneration to b[...] each financial year in which there shall be decl[...] Shares of the Company dividends at the rate of[...] dividend on the issued Deferred Shares, there sh[...] providing for such dividends, is to be paid to the Chairm[...] muneration, a sum equal to 15 per cent. of the[...] by the Company in each financial year.

Directors are entitled to be paid by the Con[...] expenses incurred in attending meetings, or in o[...] paid for any special or extraordinary service, or[...] muneration may be by way of a fixed sum or per[...] may appoint one or more of their body to be M[...] salary, commission, or participation in profits.

The whole of the Preferred Ordinary Shares [...] mission of 2½ per cent. and an over-riding comm[...] including registration, legal fees, printing, advert[...] but excluding underwriting and over-riding comm[...] Company, but no promotion money has been or w[...]

A brokerage of 3d. per Share will be paid to [...] in respect of applications for any part of the [...] stamp. No brokerage will be paid in respect of th[...] Shares taken by the Directors and their associate[...]

The following agreements have been entered [...]

An agreement dated the 15th day of March, [...] Co., of 345 Salisbury House, in the City of Lond[...] of 294 Philip Lane, Tottenham, as trustee for the [...] and Co. have undertaken to underwrite 245,000 P[...] underwriting commission of 2½ per cent. and an [...]

An agreement dated the 12th day of April, 19[...] and Co. of the first part, the said Wallace Thor[...] of the third part, whereby the Company has a[...] 15th day of March, 1920.

Various sub-underwriting agreements have be[...] party.

The following Directors are interested in th[...] Colonel Lord Rochdale has sub-underwritten [...] 10,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares; F. Huntingto[...] 16,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares; Major C. H. [...] in the firm of Hornby, Potter, Mills and Co., wh[...] Ordinary Shares.

An application will be made in due course fo[...] the London Stock Exchange.

A copy of the Company's Memorandum o[...] which it forms a part.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of [...] copies of the above-mentioned agreements can b[...] Company at any time during the usual business [...]

Applications for the Shares of this Company [...] the Prospectus, and sent to one of the Bankers [...] the amount payable on application. If no allo[...] returned in full, and where the number of share[...] will be applied to the amount due on allotme[...] Failure to pay any instalment when due will r[...] forfeiture. Interest at 10 per cent. per annum [...]

Copies of the Prospectus and forms of app[...] Brokers, and at the Offices of the Company.

Dated the 12th day of April, 1920.

FORM OF A[...]

Inter-Northern Co[...]

ISSUE OF 245,000 PREFERRED ORDINARY[...]

To the Directors of INTER-NORTHERN CORP[...]

GENTLEMEN,—Having paid to your Bank[...] deposit of 2s. 6d. per share on application [...] Ordinary Shares of £1 each, and the sum of £ [...] per share on application for .... [...] named Company, I request you to allot me [...] Company's Prospectus dated the 12th day of A[...] or any smaller number that may be allotted [...] Prospectus, and to pay the balance of 17s. 6d. [...] said Prospectus, and I authorise you to registe[...] declare that this application is not made by o[...] meaning of the Trading with the Enemy (Ame[...]

*USUAL SIGN[...]

This Form must be sent entire with remittance for the amount payable on application to Barclay's Bank, Ltd., 19 Fleet street, London, E.C., or its Head Office, or any Branch of that Bank, or to Bank of Liverpool and Martins, Ltd., Head Office, Liverpool, or any Branch of that Bank.

NAME IN FU[...] (Mr., Mrs[...]

ADDRESS (I[...]

OCCUPATION[...]

DATE[...]

PROSPECTUS.

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The special permission of the Stock Exchange to deal in these shares will be applied for.

A copy of this prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The SUBSCRIPTION LIST will CLOSE on or before TUESDAY, the 20th day of APRIL, 1920.

INTER-NORTHERN CORPORATION LIMITED.

(Registered under the Companies Acts, 1908-1917.)

Capital - - £250,000,

DIVIDED INTO

245,000 PREFERRED-ORDINARY SHARES of £1 EACH, and

100,000 DEFERRED SHARES of 1/- EACH.

Issue of 245,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares and 100,000 Deferred Shares at par,

Of which 120,000 Preferred-Ordinary Shares and 75,000 Deferred Shares have been already applied for by the directors and their associates, and will be allotted in full.

PAYABLE TO THE PREFERRED-ORDINARY SHARES—
[illegible] share on Application.
[illegible] share on Allotment.
5s. 0d. [illegible] share on the 1st day of September, 1920.
And the balance of 10/- per share on the 1st day of December, 1920.
As to the Deferred Shares—in full on Application.

Applicants for both classes of shares have the right to an allotment in the proportion of one Deferred Share to every five Preferred-Ordinary Shares. Applications for Deferred Shares alone will not be entertained.

The Preferred-Ordinary Shares will be entitled to a fixed dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up thereon, and thereafter to one-half of the surplus profits available for distribution in each and every year.

In a winding up the Preferred Ordinary Shares will have priority as to return of capital, and will be entitled to one-half of the surplus assets remaining after the return of the Deferred Share capital.

The Deferred Shares will be entitled to one-half of the surplus profits available for distribution after payment of the preferential dividend of 7 per cent. on the Preferred-Ordinary Shares, and in the winding up of the Company will be entitled to return of capital after the return of the Preferred-Ordinary Share capital, and thereafter to one-half of the surplus assets.

DIRECTORS.

COLONEL LORD ROCHDALE OF ROCHDALE, of Beechwood, Rochdale, Chairman of Union Bank of Manchester, Ltd. (Chairman).

FREDERICK WILLIAM BAKER, of 10 De Vere Gardens, London, S.W., Chairman of Santa Gertrudis Company, Ltd., Director of National Mining Corporation, Ltd. (Vice-Chairman).

FREDERIC HUNTINGDON, of 37 Moorfields, Liverpool, Managing Director of the Canadian Lumber Company, Ltd.

MAJOR CYRIL C. H. POTTER, O.B.E., of Blakes, Lymington, Director of Michoacan and Pacific Railway Company, Ltd.

JESSE HOWARTH LORD, of Braeside, Rochdale, Director of Kelsall and Kemp, Ltd.

CAPTAIN ROBERT PHIPPS HORNBY, M.C., of 24 Norfolk square, Hyde Park, W., partner in Messrs. Hornby, Potter, Mills and Co.

BANKERS.

BARCLAY'S BANK, LTD., 19 Fleet street, London, E.C., Head Office and Branches.
BANK OF LIVERPOOL and MARTINS, LIMITED, Head Office, Liverpool, and Branches.

SOLICITORS.

Messrs. WREFORD, BROWN, HEWETT and CO., 38 Old Jewry, London, E.C. 2.

BROKERS.

Messrs. VIVIAN GRAY and CO., 10 Throgmorton avenue, London, E.C. 2.
Messrs. W. A. ARNOLD and SONS, Haworth's Buildings, Cross street, Manchester.

AUDITORS.

Messrs. COOPER and COOPER, 60 Spring Gardens, Manchester.

SECRETARY.

Major H. L. H. OWEN, A.F.C.

REGISTERED OFFICE.

344 SALISBURY HOUSE, LONDON, E.C.2.

The Company has been formed for the purpose described in the Memorandum of Association, which are inter alia, to finance and assist industrial and other enterprises in this country to [illegible] business with foreign countries, and, where necessary, to establish and maintain [illegible] forget that, as we can never for[illegible] and readjustment in the post-war period should provide ample [illegible] of this nature for many years to come, and a substantial [illegible] is the intention of the [illegible] to confine themselves for the most part to assisting and [illegible] sound existing industrial undertakings. Nevertheless, where thought advisable, the Company will find capital for, and promote, new businesses. In all cases where it is decided to make an offer to the public the shareholders of this Company will be given the first opportunity of participating.

The whole of the proceeds of the capital subscribed on this issue will be available for working capital and the general purposes of the Company, subject only to the payment of the actual preliminary expenses of its formation and the issue of its capital, including underwriting and overriding commissions and brokerage.

The minimum subscription upon which the Directors may proceed to allotment is fixed by the Articles at 7 shares, but 120,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares and 75,000 Deferred Shares having already been applied for, the Directors will proceed to allotment immediately after closing the list.

The Articles provide that each Share shall be entitled to one vote.

The qualification of a Director is the holding of shares of the nominal value of £500 in the Company. The Directors' remuneration is to be at the rate of £250 per annum each, the Chairman receiving £300, all such remuneration to be free of tax up to 6s. in the £. In respect of each financial year in which there shall be declared and paid on the issued Preferred Ordinary Shares of the Company dividends at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, and the corresponding dividend on the issued Deferred Shares, there shall, out of any surplus profits remaining after providing for such dividends, be paid to the Chairman and the Directors, by way of additional remuneration, a sum equal to 15 per cent. of the net profits certified by the auditors and earned by the Company in each financial year.

Directors are entitled to be paid by the Company for reasonable travelling, hotel, and other expenses incurred in attending meetings, or in or about the Company's business, and also to be paid for any special or extraordinary service, or for going or residing abroad. Such special remuneration may be by way of a fixed sum or percentage on profits, or otherwise. The Directors may appoint one or more of their body to be Managing Directors, who may be paid by way of salary, commission, or participation in profits.

The whole of the Preferred Ordinary Shares have been underwritten at an underwriting commission of 2½ per cent. and an over-riding commission of 1 per cent. The preliminary expenses, including registration, legal fees, printing, advertising, and issuing this prospectus, and brokerage, but excluding underwriting and over-riding commission, estimated at £8,000, will be paid by the Company, but no promotion money has been or will be paid.

A brokerage of 3d. per Share will be paid to brokers or authorised agents on allotments made in respect of applications for any part of the 125,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares bearing their stamp. No brokerage will be paid in respect of the applications for the 120,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares taken by the Directors and their associates, or in respect of the Deferred Shares.

The following agreements have been entered into:—

An agreement dated the 15th day of March, 1920, made between Hornby, Potter, Mills and Co. of 345 Salisbury House, in the City of London, of the one part, and Wallace Thomas Rose, of 294 Philip Lane, Tottenham, as trustee for the Company, whereby Messrs. Hornby, Potter, Mills and Co. have undertaken to underwrite 245,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares of the Company at an underwriting commission of 2½ per cent. and an over-riding commission of 1 per cent.

An agreement dated the 12th day of April, 1920, made between the said Hornby, Potter, Mills and Co. of the first part, the said Wallace Thomas Rose of the second part, and the Company of the third part, whereby the Company has adopted the above-mentioned agreement of the 15th day of March, 1920.

Various sub-underwriting agreements have been entered into, to which the Company is not party.

The following Directors are interested in the underwriting:—

Colonel Lord Rochdale has sub-underwritten 50,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares; F. W. Baker, 10,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares; F. Huntington, 25,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares; J. H. Lord, 16,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares; Major C. H. Potter and Captain R. P. Hornby are partners in the firm of Hornby, Potter, Mills and Co., who have underwritten the total issue of Preferred Ordinary Shares.

An application will be made in due course for a quotation of the Shares of this Company on the London Stock Exchange.

A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is printed on this Prospectus, of which it forms a part.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the originals or copies of the above-mentioned agreements can be inspected at the offices of the Solicitors of the Company at any time during the usual business hours while the Subscription List remains open.

Applications for the Shares of this Company should be made upon the form accompanying the Prospectus, and sent to one of the Bankers named therein, together with a remittance for the amount payable on application. If no allotment is made the application moneys will be returned in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than the application the balance will be applied to the amount due on allotment, and the surplus, if any, will be returned. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments and the shares liable to forfeiture. Interest at 10 per cent. per annum may be charged on overdue instalments.

Copies of the Prospectus and forms of application may be obtained from the Bankers and Brokers, and at the Offices of the Company.

Dated the 12th day of April, 1920.

FORM OF APPLICATION.

Inter-Northern Corporation, Limited.

ISSUE OF 245,000 PREFERRED ORDINARY SHARES AND 100,000 DEFERRED SHARES.

To the Directors of INTER-NORTHERN CORPORATION, LIMITED.
344 Salisbury House, London, E.C.2.

GENTLEMEN,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £.........................., being a deposit of 2s. 6d. per share on application for.......................... 7 per cent. Preferred Ordinary Shares of £1 each, and the sum of £.........................., being the amount payable per share on application for .... Deferred Shares of 1s. each in the above-named Company, I request you to allot me that number of shares, upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus dated the 12th day of April, 1920, and I hereby agree to accept the same or any smaller number that may be allotted to me upon the terms and conditions of the said Prospectus, and to pay the balance of 17s. 6d. per Preferred Ordinary Share, as provided by the said Prospectus, and I authorise you to register me as the holder of the said shares. I hereby declare that this application is not made by or for the benefit of an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy (Amendment) Act, 1916.

*USUAL SIGNATURE ....

NAME IN FULL ....
(Mr., Mrs., or Miss)

ADDRESS (IN FULL) ....

....

OCCUPATION or DESCRIPTION ....

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DATE .... APRIL, 1920.

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

The market was not held yesterday, but it is expected that business will be resumed to-day (Thursday).

BANK OF IRELAND.

The following directors were elected yesterday:—Sir George Frederick Brooke, Bart.; Robert Frederick Steuart Colvill, Right Hon. Jonathan Hogg, Andrew Jameson, Joseph Xavier Murphy, Sir Walter Richard Nugent, Bart.; Arthur Ronald Stansmore Nutting, Frederick Coddington Pilkington, Joseph Todhunter Pim, William Robertson, George Francis Stewart, Nicholas Joseph Synnott, Fane Vernon.

STOCKS COLLAPSE.

OMINOUS ADVANCES IN TREASURY BILL RATES.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

An exciting session was experienced in the Stock Exchange yesterday. Following on the improved sentiment of the previous day, when there was a partial rally in prices in several directions, markets opened with a considerable display of strength. Before noon, however, the optimists received a severe shock in the form of an announcement that the rate of discount on Treasury bills had been advanced from 5½ to 6½ p.c. This was interpreted as a sure indication that the bank rate will be raised to-day from 6 to 7 p.c., and immediately there was a sudden change in market conditions. The cheerful and confident tone which had been in strong evidence a short while before gave place to dulness and gloom, some members going so far as to vouch the opinion that an 8 p.c. bank rate is in sight in the near future, even if it is not raised to that figure to-day.

LONDON STOCKS UNCERTAIN.

DEAR MONEY INFLUENCES.

The better tendency developed on the Stock Exchange overnight was not maintained yesterday in the face of the unexpected advance to 6½ p.c. in Treasury bill rates, which it was feared would be followed by a rise in the Bank rate to-day. The opening of markets was quiet and hesitating, without feature, but Gilt-edged issues weakened sharply on the monetary developments, the softness of quotations in this section being accentuated by Budget uncertainty and by the renewal of the war wealth levy inquiry. Among Gilt-edged Securities War Fives flattened ⅜ to 87⅛. There was a decline of a point to 172½ in Bank of England Stock, and Colonial Loans registered fractional losses where they varied.

FRENCH BONDS ADVANCE.—In the Foreign market French Loans marked a further good advance, and the Fives were finally 1½ up at 46. The Fours were steady. Continental issues generally showed more hardness, the recovery in the Italian exchange being helpful. Belgian Threes at 47 were a point to the good.

Changes—Rises: Egyptian Unified, 1 to 73; French Loan, 1½ to 46. Falls: Mexican Fives, 2 to 43; Peruvian Def., 1 to 81; Spanish Fours, 1 to 92½.

HOME RAILS QUIET.—There was not much going on among Home Rails, and the tone was further chilled by the set-back in Gilt-edged Securities. Many Trunk and Trade Stocks left off ¼ to ½ lower.

CANADIANS WEAK AND MEXICANS FLAT.—Canadian Pacific were weaker at 151, and other Canadian Rails were heavy. Grand Trunk Guaranteed Fours losing 1½ at 57, while Junior Stocks were ⅛ to ¼ weaker. There was a set-back of 1 in Mexican 1st Pref.

CHECK IN INDUSTRIALS.

B.A.T.'S FLUCTUATE—WALLPAPER DEF. EASIER—OIL CAKES ACTIVE.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

A very cheerful opening was experienced in the Miscellaneous and Industrial market yesterday. Prices got on the move early, and a steady appreciation of values took place. But a severe check to the initial liveliness was administered by the change in the Treasury bill rate. This was immediately linked up with a probable advance in the Bank rate, which was more or less foreshadowed by the movement. The tone of the market changed round, and sellers began to predominate. But towards the close of the day things were better again. The idea appeared to be that the increased rate would tempt the banks to lend money, and that speculation would consequently tend rather to increase than otherwise. At all events, there is a *prima facie* case for assuming that the banks will be losing good business if they do not lend money at the increased rate they will be able to obtain. B.A.T. fluctuated rather violently. After opening well, the shares dropped back to below the previous day's closing price. Oil Cakes were in strong demand again, to begin with, falling away later, and again making up lost ground by the close of the session. Courtaulds reacted after an initial rise. Wallpaper Def. were in renewed request. Imperial Tobacco "Letters" continued to change hands with freedom. Among Iron and Steel issues, Vickers were easier. Amalgamated Cottons were still depressed on the underwriting of the new issue.

Nothing more having been heard of the projected Gloucester Wagon fusion, the price receded further to 75s. Movements in the Textile section were not frequent, business showing a shrinkage. In the circumstances, the steadiness of Spinners at 5⅜ provided encouragement to holders. Courtaulds, after a good opening, slipped back to 8¼. Amal. Cottons sagged to 1⅛, ex all. Joshua Hoyle were firm at 4⅛. Dunlops slipped back to 10. Business in the Shipping section resulted in a general decline in values under the lead of P. and O. Def., which slipped back another 10 points to 530.

FURTHER RISE IN MINES.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Yesterday morning the political situation looked better, and markets generally were quite buoyant. The activity, however, did not last long. Reports were soon in circulation to the effect that the bank rate would almost certainly be raised to 7 p.c. to-day, and this caused a revulsion of feeling throughout the "house," the speculative departments being as usual the first to feel the effect of the change of sentiment. As regards the Kaffir section of the Mining Market, the publication of the excellent March Rand output and labour figures created a good impression, and, coupled with a decided improvement in the French exchange, induced a fair amount of buying, to which prices readily responded. But the rumours of a coming advance in the official minimum, which, it must be admitted, were based on sounder reasoning than many of the preceding reports, checked enthusiasm, and the best prices were not maintained. Still, although the price of gold eased slightly to £5 4s. per ounce, there was no resumption of the offering which had previously been the chief characteristic of this market, and, except in a few isolated instances, most of the earlier advance was held to the close. Thus Central Mining, Rand Mines, Randfontein, Van Ryn Deep, Modder Deep, and many other representative shares left off well above Tuesday's levels, and the tone generally was quite firm.

RUBBER SHARE MARKET IRREGULAR.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

There were few features in the Rubber share market, and the tone continued much about the same. The Continental group recovered further, and the selling, for the time being at any rate, ceased. Movements in quotations were irregular. Anglo-Dutch were a shade easier at 51s. 4½d., and Java Investment lost 9d. at 42s. Batu Kawan, ex div., quoted around 39s. Bekoh improved to 5s. 9d., and Bikam were 2½d. harder at 5s. 4½d. Anglo-Ceylon were 1/16 harder at £3, but Baru Java and Tanah Datar each lost 1/16 at 2⅜ and 2⅛ respectively. Bukit Selangor were the turn easier at 5s. 6d., but Bagan Serai and Stagbrook were 1/16 higher at 26s. 3d. and 38s. 9d. respectively. Hevea Trust hardened to 1⅛, while Kuala Lumpur further improved to 3⅜ and Sennahs to 31s. Java United were dull around 41s. 3d., but Mount Austin rose sharply to 46s. 3d., an improvement of ⅜. Straits Plantations jumped ⅛ to £3, and Telogoredjo were 1/16 higher at 3⅛. Tamiang were dull at 2⅛, while Ulu Raptau and Selaba each rose 1/16 to 2⅛ and 2⅜ respectively. Tebrau and United Serdang quoted 2⅛-3⅛ and 6s. 6d.-6s. 10½d., ex rights. In the Borneo section, Sablas rose 6d. to 30s. 9d., and Membakuts were wanted at 29s. 6d. Langkon were better at 22s. 3d.

LEADING OILS FAIL TO HOLD EARLY ADVANCE.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Oil Shares were distinctly firm at the start yesterday, mainly as the result of the improvement in the French exchange. Burmahs, for instance, were as good as 18⅛, Mexican Eagles 10⅛, Shells 10⅝, Royal Dutch 85, and Scottish Americans 37s. 3d. The advance, however, was not maintained, for soon after the opening it was announced that the Treasury bill rate had been raised, which gave rise to fears of a possible increase in the bank rate to-day. There was also renewed talk in regard to a levy on war wealth. These influences were quickly reflected in the sentiment of the market, and quotations receded sharply. About midday there was a moderate rally, but selling was encountered from Glasgow during the afternoon, and prices slipped back again. In the street Shells took a turn for the better, these shares and Royal Dutch being bought from New York. On balance price movements were generally of a slight character, with gains in Royal Dutch and Mexican Eagles, while Shells were unchanged, and Burmahs registered a decline. Closing prices:—

Anglo-American	6⅛	6⅛	-1/16
Anglo-Bulgarian	7/6	8/9	
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	3⅜	3⅜	-¼
Anglo-Maikop	3⅛	3⅛	
Anglo-Persian 6 p.c. Pref.	22/6	23/6	
Anglo-United	1⅛	1⅛	
Assam	2⅛	2⅛	
Black Sea Amalgamated (10/)	3/0	3/6	
British Borneo Petroleum	1⅛	2⅛	-⅛
British Burmah Petroleum	2⅛	2⅛	
British Controlled Pref.	⅞	⅞	-1/16
British Motor Spirit	1/3	2/3	-6d.
Burmah	17¾	17⅝	-⅛
Caltex Oil (£1)	14/9	15/3	
Chijoles Oil	20/0	21/0	
Copan Oilfields (5/)	3/6	4/0	
Cyprus Oil Trust	4/0	5/0	
Eagle Transport Pref.	4⅛	5⅛	+1/16
English Oilfields	2⅛	2⅛	
Gemsah Oil Reefs	1	1⅛	
Geboff Grosny	1⅛	2	
Globe Oilfields	⅛	⅛	
Havana Oil	2/7½	2/10½	+1½d.
Kern River	32/6	33/6	
Lobitos	3⅛	3⅛	
Maikop Taman	19/0	19/6	
Maikop Petroleum Trust	14/0	15/0	
Mexican Eagle Ord.	9⅞	10	+⅛
Mexican Eagle Pref.	9⅛	9⅛	+⅛
National Petroleum	7/0	8/0	
New Grosny Oilfields	5/6	6/0	
New Schibaieff	⅛	⅛	
NorthCaucasian	1⅛	1⅛	+1/16
Oilfields Finance	9/0	10/0	
Oilfields of England	⅛	⅛	
Oil Trust	2/4½	2/7½	
Peru Syndicate	12/9	13/9	
Premier Oil (12/ share)	5/6	6/0	-3d.
Ratoczyn (Galicia) Pref.	3⅛	3⅛	
Roumanian Cons.	22/6	23/0	
Royal Dutch	84⅛	85½	+1¼
Scottish-American	35/0	36/3	-3d.
Shell Transport	10⅝	10⅝	
" " Pref.	⅞	⅞	
Spies	9/6	10/0	
Suvoroff Taman	6/0	7/0	
Tampico Panuco Pref.	6/0	7/0	
Tankers Pref. (5/ pd.)	⅛	⅛ pm.	-1/16
Transvaal Oil Shale	10/0	10/6	
Trinidad Central	6⅛	6⅜	+⅛
Trinidad Dominion	6/9	7/3	
Trinidad Leaseholds	3⅛	3⅛	-⅛
United British of Trinidad	2⅛	2⅛	
Ural Caspian	1⅛	1⅛	
Uroz Oilfields	1⅛	1⅛	
Venezuelan Oil Concessions	4	4⅛	+⅛

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	45⅛-⅛ -⅛	French Loan	43⅝-6⅛+1½
Funding L'n	68⅞-⅝ -⅛	Irish Land 3%	48-50
Victory Bds	75⅝-6⅛ -⅛	do. 2¾%	47⅝-⅝
War Ln. 3½%	80⅞-1⅛ -⅛	India 3%	48-9 -½
do. 4½%	79⅞-⅜ -⅛	do. 3½%	57⅝-⅝
do. 5%	87⅞-⅝ -⅛		
do. 4%	95⅜-⅝ -⅛		

HOME RAILS.

Brighton A	50-1 -½	L.&S.W.new 5% Pf.	92-4
Cal'dn.Df.Or.	9-½	Metropolitan	20⅝-1½
Cent.Lon.Df.	46-9	do. 5% Pref.	66-9
Chat'm. Or.	9⅝-⅝ -⅛	do. District	18⅝-19½
Gt.Cent'l Df.	7⅛-⅝	Midland Def.	53-4
do. Eastern	32-½ -⅛	N.Brit.Def.	13⅝-14⅛ -⅛
do. N. Pref.	49-50 -⅛	N.East.Con.	89⅞-90⅛
do. Def.	31⅛-2 -⅛	do. 4½ Pf.	89-92
do. Western	83-4 -⅛	Sth.Est.Df.	32-½ -⅛
Hull&Barns'y	31½-2½	do. 5% Pref.	68-71
Lancs.&Yks.	59½-60½	Taff Vale	47-9
L.&N-Westn.	86-7 -⅛	Under Elec.	2⅛-⅝
do. 4½ Prf.	90-3	do. In. Bds.	70-2-1
L & S-W	69-72	do. 6% Dbs.	77-80
do. Def.	23-4		

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Can. Pacific	150-2-2	B.Ayres Gt.S.	78½-9½-1
Grand Trunk	5⅛-6⅛-⅛	B-Ayres Pac.	65½-6½†
do. 4% Guar.	56-8-1½	B.Ayres & W.	79-80-1
do. 1st Pref.	47½-8½	Cen. Arg'tine	68½-9½-1
do. 2nd Prf.	35½-6½	Cen. Urugy	75-7†-3
do. 3rd Pref.	14½-15½-½	Entre Rios	41-3-⅛
do. 4% Deb.	58-61	do. 1st Pref.	76-8-1
do. 5½% 3y nts.	98-9	Mex. Rails	20-2
Antofa Pf. Or.	80-2	do. 8 p.c. Pf.	44-7-1
do. Def.	122-4-1	do. 6 p.c. Pf.	29-31
Argen. G. W.	64-6-2	do. Nt. 1st Pf.	14½-15½-1
Armavir To'ps.	24-7	do. 2nd Pf.	7-½
Bahia Blanca	55-7	San Paulo Or.	169-72-2
do. 4½ 2nd Db.	60½-2½	Un. Havana	86½-7½-1
Brazil Rail	4⅛-⅝		

TELEGRAPHS.

A.-Amer.D.	18⅛-⅝	Marconi Can.	12/0-13/0
Marconi Ord.	3-⅛	do. Amer.	30/6-31/6
do. Pref.	3⅛-⅝	do. Spanish	10/6-11/6
do. Marine	2⅛-⅝ -1/16		

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aerated Bread	4⅛-⅝ +1/16	Hudson's Bay	7⅛-8⅛
Armstrong	30/6-1/6†	Im.Tobac.Or.	50/6-1/6+0/3
A.P.Cement	27/6-8/6	J. Brown	1⅛-⅛
do. Pref.	14/6-15/6-0/3	do. (15/pd)	1⅛-⅛
Aboukir Land	⅛-⅛	Lipton	29/3-30/3-0/6
Arg'nt.N'n.Ld.	⅛-⅛	do. Pref.	14/0-15/0
do.South. Ld.	1⅛-⅛	Lyons	5⅛-⅛
Anglo-Arg. 1stPf.	3⅛-4	LovellCh'mas	6⅛-⅛
Allsopp Ord.	90-4-1	Lagunas	1⅛-⅛
do. 5% Pref.	71-5-1	Lautaro Nit.	16-17
Alby Uni'd.	11/9-12/6-4½	Liverpool Nit.	4⅛-5
Anglo-Chil'n.	16⅛-17⅛+⅛	LondonNit.	2⅛-3⅛
do. Pref.	16⅛-17⅛+⅛	Maple	2⅛-⅛
Amal. Cotton	1⅛-⅛	Magadi Soda	17/0-18/0
Borax Con.D.	1⅛-⅛	Maypole Def.	⅛-⅛
Bri.P'd.Cmt.	32/0-4/0†-2/0	Mond Nickel	3⅛-⅛
B.S.A.	2⅛-⅛	Montr'al St.Db.	91-5
Bt.Mot.Tr'd'g	17/6-18/6-0/6	Monterey Db.	29-33
B.&A.Meat	25/9-6/3-1/0	Mex. Trams	18-22
Bass, Rat.Pf.	63-9	do. Bonds	33-8
Brit. Oil & Ck.	2⅛-⅛	do. L.&P. Bs.	42-6
Brunner Mond	1⅛-2⅛	N'w'Tam'gul.	34/0-6/0†-1/3
B'holomay Pf.	3⅛-4⅛	Pahang (5s)	1⅛-⅛
B.N.B. Land	17/6-18/6	ParentTyreDf.	3-⅛
Brazil'n Tract	50-1+½	Pease Partns	1⅛-⅛
Brit.Col.Elec.Pf.	56-9-2	P.& O. Def.	520-40-10
do. 4½% Dbs.	55-8	Projectiles (1/)	⅛-⅛
Bryant & May	34/0-5/0-0/6	Pekin Syn.	29/6-30/6
Bleachers	1⅛-⅛	Peters (G.D.)	1⅛-⅛
Bradford Dyers	2⅛-⅛	Royal Mail Or.	177-87
Brit. Cottons	11/6-12/	Rio Lands	9/6-10/6
Calico Printers	2⅛-⅛	Ronco	2⅛-⅛ -⅛
Cammell L'd	1-⅛	Rosario Nit.	9⅛-10† -⅛
Cargo Fleet	1⅛-⅛	Sew. Cotton	2⅛-⅛ -1/16
Coats	3-⅛ -⅛	Salt Union	1⅛-⅛†
Courtaulds	8-⅛†	do. Pref.	1-⅛†
Court Line	1⅛-⅛ +1/16	S.Durham St'l.	3⅛-⅛
Cunard Ord.	2⅛-⅛ +1/16	Sao Paulo Db.	87-90
Duff Dev.	15/9-16/9	Sth.Af.Brew.	1⅛-⅛
Dunlop Rub.	9⅛-10⅛	ShawW'terDb.	93-8
Eastmans	16/6-17/6-0/6	Sun Fuel	24/6-5/6-0/6
Furness Withy	2⅛-⅛	Santa Catalina	14/0-6/0
Forestal L'nd	47/6-8/6	Tarapaca Nit.	27/0-9/0
F'st's.Glass	18/6-19/6-0/6	Tim. Fireproof	7-8
Fine Spinners	5⅛-⅛	Un.Stm.N.Z.	19/0-20/0
Guinness	330-50	Vickers	32/0-3/0
do. Pref.	98-102	VanDenBerghs	2⅛-⅛
Gramophone	1⅛-⅛	Do. Pref.	6/9-7/9
Harrod's	2⅛-⅛ +1/16	Weard'le c.p.o.	23/0-5/0
Home&Col. Pf.	37/6-8/6	Wallpaper	21/9-2/9-7½
do. 15% Cm.Or.	1⅛-⅛ +1/16	Wallpaper Df.	21/6-2/6-0/9

MINING SHARES.

Assocd. Gold	3/6-1/-	Lake View	16/6-3d
Assocd. N. Blks.	3/- x.d.-1/3	Modderfontein B.	6⅛+⅛
Anglo-French Explor.	1⅛+⅛	Modder Deep	2⅛+⅛
Amal. Zinc (De Bavays)	28/-+6d	Malayan Tin	2⅛-⅛
Brit. Bk. Hill	46/-+1/-	Mount Lyell	26/-+9d
Bk. Hill Prop.	62/6-6d	Mysore Gold	3⅛ x.d.-1/16
Bk. Hill North	2⅛-⅛	Nundydroog	14/-6d
Burma Corp.	11⅛-⅛	New African	15/6+6d
Bech. Explor.	10/6-3d	Prestea Blk. A	3/9-3d
Brakpan Mines	3⅛+⅛	Rand Mines	3⅛+⅛
Crown Mines	3⅛+⅛	Rose Deep	⅛-⅛
Chartered	17/10½+6d	Rhod. Bk. Hill	14/6-3d
Con. G.F. of S.A.	1⅛+⅛	Rand Selection	4⅛+⅛
Central Mining	9⅛+⅛	Santa Gertrudis	30/6-1/-
Camp Bird	16/-6d	South Crofty	13/6-6d
Champion Reef	5/6+6d	S.A. Gold Trust	⅛+⅛
De Beers Def.	26+⅛	Springs Mines	2⅛+⅛
Do. Pref.	11⅛+⅛	Simmer & Jack	5/3+3d
E. Rand Prop.	9/6+6d	Tanganyika	2⅛+⅛
Exploration	12/6-6d	Trans. Consd.	1+1/16
Fanti Cons.	9/3 x.d.-1/3	Tin Areas of Nigeria	14/6-3d
Geduld	2⅛+⅛	Tronoh Mines	2⅛ x.d.-⅛
Ginsberg	2/-6d	Union Corp.	20/6+1/-
Goch (New)	4/-+3d	Vereeniging Estates	24/6+6d
Gold Mines Inv.	15/-+6d	Vaal River	1-⅛
Heriot (New)	6/6-2/6	Village Mn. Reef	6/-6d
Jagersfontein	5⅛ x.d.+⅛	Van Ryn Deep	4⅛+⅛
Johannesburg Con. Inv.	31/-+6d	Van Ryn	⅛-⅛
Kleinfontein	11/-+6d	W. Rand Cons.	5/6+6d
Knights Deep	8/9+3d	Witwaters. Deep	10/6+6d
Lonely Reef	2⅛+⅛	Zambesia Explor.	22/-+6d

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo-Ceylon	58/9-2/3	Malacca	5⅛+⅛
Anglo-Java	6/8-1d	Do. Pref.	5
Asahan	30/4½-3d	Do. Deb.	98½
Bantardawa	28/6-1/3	Mapalgama	2/3-3d
Besoeki	41/10½-1/4½	Mergui	5/2½ x.d.
Bukit Mertajam	5/-2d	Rubber Trust	40/6
Chersonese	4/1⅛+⅛d	Sagga	55/-
Cheviot	8/4½-3⅛d	Sapumalkande	27/6-1/1½
Cons. Malay	13/-+4½d	Sekong	18/-9d
East. Sumatra	2/9½-2⅛d	Selangor Unit	4/1⅛+⅛d
Golden Hope	83/1½-7½d	Sialang	91/3-1/3
Haycep	26/10½+1⅛d	Sing. Para	3/6-1⅛d
Highlands	59/4½+4½d	Sing. United	2/8-⅛d
Kamuning	4/0⅛+⅛d	Sembar Ajoe	3/-+⅛d
Kapar Para	75/-2/6	Strathmore	83/9+1/3
Kasintoe	41/10½-7½	Sumatra Cons.	60/6-2/3
Kepitigalla	16/6+6d	Sungei Buaya	63/9-1/3
Klanang	10/6+6d	Sungei Kr. Pf.	68/9 c.d
Kwaloe	2/1+1d	Taiping	3/3-3d
Labu	48/3-4/10½	Un. Temiang	5/3+1½d
Laras	4/2+⅛d	Val d'Or	4/1½-1⅛d
Lumut	61/3-1/-	Yam Seng	11/9
Manchester N. Borneo	38/9-1/3		

TEA SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon States, 58/9 -2/9; Empire, 40/- -1/-.

† Ex div. ‡ Ex rights. * Ex all.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—46⅛, 5⅛, 6⅛, ⅛, 6⅛, ⅛, 6⅛, ⅛, 6, ⅛. 3½ p.c. War Loan—80⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 80⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 80⅛. Funding Loan (x.d.)—68⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9, 8⅛, 9⅛, ⅛, 8⅛, ⅛, 9, 8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9. Victory Bonds—76⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 6, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 5⅛, ⅛, 5⅛. 4½ p.c. War Loan—79, ⅛. 5 p.c. War Loan—88⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, 8⅛, ⅛, 88, 7⅛, ⅛, 8, 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, 8. 4 p.c. War Loan—96, 5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. India 3½ p.c.—57⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛, 8. Aerated Bread—90/3⅛, 1/10⅛, 1/-, 6d. Anglo-American Corp.—40/7⅛, 38/9. Anglo-Egyptian Oil—73/1⅛, 2/9, 6d., 70/3⅛. Anglo-Java Rubber—6/9, 10⅛d., 8⅛d., 9d. Assoc. Cement—27/9, 10⅛d., *6/6, *6/-, 8/-, 7/4⅛, 10⅛d., 6d. Bleachers Ord.—53/6, 5/-, 2/3. British Amer. Tobacco—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. British Argentine Meat—27/1⅛, 6/3, 6d., 1⅛d. British Dyestuffs Pref.—15/9, 6d. do. Pref. Ord.—16/7⅛. British Glass Industries—81/10⅛, 2/6, 1/3, 80/-, 79/4⅛, 80/-, 1/3, 2/6, 1/10⅛. British Oil and Cake—51/6, 1/-, 9d., 10⅛d., 3d., 2/-, 3d., 50/10⅛, 6d., 3d., 9d., 1/9, 1/-, 50/6. British Overseas Bank—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 17/9. Broken Hill Prop.—63/-, 3d., 2/9, 4⅛d., 6d. Brunner Mond—39/6, 3d., 40/6, 39/9, 10⅛d., 40/6, 3d. Buenos Ayres Western Ord.—80⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 79⅛. Buenos Ayres Pacific (x.d.)—66⅛, ⅛, 6, ⅛, 5⅛, 6d. Burma Corp.—11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Burmah Oil—18⅛, 17⅛, ⅛, 18⅛, ⅛, 17⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Bwana M'Kubwa—5/-, 6/7⅛. Calico Printers—41/-, 6d., 3d. Canadian Pacific—150⅛, ⅛, 1, 50⅛, 2, 50⅛, *50, ⅛. Central Argentine Ord.—69, 70⅛, ⅛, 69⅛, 8⅛, 9⅛. Central Mining and Investment—9⅛, *8⅛. Chartered—17/7⅛, 10⅛d., 6d., 7⅛d., *14/6, 17/8⅛, 17/9, 18/3. City Deep—53/9, 2/9, 3/1⅛, 2/6. Coats—62/3⅛, 3/9, 1/3. Consol. Goldfields of South Africa—34/4⅛, *6d., 3/9, 4/-, 5/-. Cory (Wm.)—65/-, 7⅛d., 6/3, 5/-. County Bank—14⅛, ⅛, £14 13/6, 14⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £14 13/3. Courtaulds (x.d.)—8, £8 1/-, 8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Crown Mines—61/3, 59/9, 9/0⅛, 8/9, 60/11⅛, 60/-, 1/3. Cunard Ord.—36/3, 7/6, 8/9, 6/10⅛, 6/-, 3d. Dunlop Ord.—10⅛, 10, ⅛, ⅛, 9⅛, ⅛, 10⅛. Eastern Pioneer—10/7⅛, 4⅛d., 6⅛d. East Rand Prop.—9/3, 9d., 6d., 4⅛d., 1⅛d., 9/-, 7⅛d. Ediswan—22/3, 9d., 7⅛d., 6d., 9d. English Oilfields—58/9, 3d., 7/9⅛, 6/6⅛, 8/1⅛, 6/10⅛. English Sewing Cotton—53/1⅛. Fine Cotton Spinners—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £5 9/-, 6/-, 5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. General Mining and Finance—5/3, 4⅛d., 3/10⅛, 6/3. Govt. Areas—89/4⅛, 90/-, 3d. Grand Central Rubber—32/3, 1/9, 2/3, 1⅛d. Grand Trunk Ord.—6⅛, 6, ⅛, 5⅛. Harper Bean Pref.—7/1⅛, 7/-; do. Ord.—10/7⅛, 10/-, 7⅛d. Imperial Tobacco—51/9, 2/-, 1/1⅛, 6d., 1/-, 2/3, 1/3, *2/-, 3d., 50/10⅛, 1/-, 50/7⅛. Ivanhoe Gold—39/9, *6/3, *7/6. Johannesburg Consol.—30/9, 3d., 4⅛d., *7⅛d., 6d. Kern River Oil—32/9, 4/-, 3/6, 3, 2/6, 4⅛d., 3/6, 3⅛d. Linggi Rubber—61/10⅛, 3d., 2/10⅛. Lipton Ord.—30/6, 29/9, 4⅛d., 3d., 30/-. London, Chatham Ord.—9⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Marconi Ord.—76/3, 5/7⅛, 8/1⅛, 3/9, 7/6, 6/10⅛; do. Pref.—66/3; do. Marine—48/1⅛, 7/6, 8/6; do. Canada—12/9, 3d., 7⅛d. Maypole Def.—15/5⅛, 7⅛d., 6d., 9d., 4⅛d., 3d., *1⅛d. Merlimau Rubber—6/9, 8⅛d., 6d. Mexican Eagle Ord.—*10⅛, ⅛, 9⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *10⅛, ⅛, 10, 9⅛, ⅛. Midland Bank—6⅛, ⅛, £6 13/-. Midland Railway Def.—53⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 4, 3⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Modderfontein (New)—72/6, 5/-. Modderfontein Deep—48/9, 52/6, 50/7⅛. Mond Nickel—63/1⅛, 9d. National Prov. Bank (£3⅛)—7⅛; do. (£4)—9⅛, ⅛, 8⅛, ⅛. New Kleinfontein Gold—11/-, 10/9, 3d., 10⅛d., 9d., 11/6. Oriental Telephone Ord.—54/4⅛, 6/10⅛, 3d., 5/-. Palmer's Shipbuilding Ord.—29/6, 4⅛d. Parent Def.—60/-. Pyratan Leather—14/-, 12/6, 14/3, 13/9, 12/9, 14/-, 8⅛d., 13/9. Rand Mines—65/-, 6/3, *4/4⅛, 5/7⅛, 6/3, 4/8⅛, 4⅛d. Randfontein Central—17/6, 18/4⅛, 17/9. Rubber Trust—40/-, 3d., 1⅛d. Russo-Asiatic Consol.—9/6, 10/4⅛, 9/10⅛. Scottish-American Oil—37/3, 1⅛d., 6/3, 9d., 7/3, 6/4⅛, 1⅛d., 5/10⅛, 6d. Shell—10⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 10, £10 1/4⅛, £10 0/6, 10⅛, *⅛, *⅛, 9⅛, 10⅛. Smithfield and Argentine—23/3. South Crofty—13/1⅛, 3d., 9d., 4⅛d., 13/-. Springs—52/6, 1/3, 3/1⅛. Sudan Plantations—6⅛, 7⅛. Tanganyika—43/9, *2/9, 40/-, 3d., 2/6, 3/-. Tankers Pref.—5/7⅛, 6/3, 9d., 10⅛d., 4⅛d., 5⅛d., 10⅛d. Trinidad Leaseholds—66/3, 10⅛d., 5/7⅛, 3/9⅛. Trinidad Central Oil—6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Union Corp.—19/7⅛, 10⅛d., 20/6, 20/-. United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.—37/7⅛, 8/-, 7/6, 9d., 4⅛d., 3d., 7/-. United Serdang Rubber—6/7⅛, 8⅛d. (ex share bonus). United Steel—22/6, 2/-, 1/10⅛, 2/3, 1/9. Venezuelan Oil—83/9, 80/-, 1/10⅛. Vickers—32/10⅛, 9d., 3/-, 2/7⅛, 6d., 3/-, 1⅛d., 2/4⅛. Victoria Falls Ord.—14/6, 4⅛d., 14/-, 3d. Zinc Corp.—20/4⅛, 3d.

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THE MONEY MARKET.

TREASURY BILL RATE ADVANCED.

Bank Rate (changed Nov. 6th).............. 6 p.c.

The chief development in the Money market yesterday was the advance to 6½ p.c. in the rate for both three months' and yearly Treasury bills. The announcement was unexpected in the discount market, and conditions were rather demoralised, with a disinclination to do business pending to-day's Bank rate announcement. Rates were nominally advanced all round. Two months' drafts were posted at 5¾ to 5⅞ p.c., three months' to 6⅛ p.c., and six months' to 6¼ p.c. Short paper was quoted at 5½ p.c. Loan conditions were as easy as ever. Call money was quoted no higher than 4 p.c., and balances were obtainable at 2 to 2½ p.c. Weekly fixtures remained at 4¼ to 4½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed November 6, 1916... 6%

60 days (fine)	5¾	5⅞%	Trade	7¼%
3 months ,,	6⅛%		,,	7¼%
4 months ,,	6⅛%		,,	7¼%
6 months ,,	6¼%		,,	7¾%
Loans to brokers day-to-day			2	4%
for a week			4¼	4½%
Deposit allowance: Banks, at call				4%
" Discount houses, at call				4%
" " at notice				4¼%

Silver fell ⅛d. for both positions to 68⅛d. spot and 65⅛d. forward per oz. The price of bar gold weakened 10d. to 104s. per oz.

The following foreign rates were current yesterday:—Paris, 61.50 to 64.75; New York, 3.94¼ to 3.96¼; Amsterdam, 10.55 to 10.62; Italy, 81.50 to 88.00; Madrid, 22.63 to 22.87; Christiania, 19.20 to 19.30; Stockholm, 17.79 to 17.96; Finland, 72 to 74; Brussels, 58.50 to 60.25; Berne, 21.90 to 22.15; Berlin, 230 to 247; Rio, 16⅛d.; Buenos Ayres, 59⅛d. to 60⅛d.; Calcutta rupee, 2s. 3⅛d.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

LIMA RAILWAYS.—Final dividend of 2/4 per share, making 4/- per share for the year.

NAGOLLE (CEYLON) RUBBER.—Final dividend of 10 per cent.

PAHANG CONSOLIDATED.—Interim dividend of 3¼ p.c. (actual) on the Pref. Shares.

FURNESS WITHY.—Dividend at the rate of 5 p.c. per annum for the half-year, free of income tax.

GROVES AND WHITNALL.—Dividend of 6 p.c., making 10 p.c. for the year, on Ord., plus bonus of 5 p.c.

W. H. BRAKSPEAR AND SONS.—Final dividend of 6 per cent. and a bonus of 2 per cent., less tax.

NORTH BRITISH-CANADIAN INVESTMENT.—Further dividend, making 8 per cent. for the year.

SCOTTISH ONTARIO AND MANITOBA LAND.—Dividend of 8 per cent. and a bonus of 2 per cent.

SECOND SCOTTISH AMERICAN TRUST.—Further dividend of 5 per cent., less tax making 9½ per cent. for the year.

SHEFFIELD AND SOUTH YORKSHIRE NAVIGATION.—Dividend of 3 per cent. per annum on the Pref. Stock.

TARAPACA WATERWORKS.—Final dividends for the year 1919 of 6 per cent., free of tax, making 10 per cent. for the year.

C. N. KOPKE AND CO.—Final dividend, making 6 per cent. on Pref. and 25 per cent. on Ord. for the year 1919.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.—Dividend of 12/- per share, less tax, payable in two instalments of 6/- each on the 1st May and 1st November next.

POONMUDI TEA AND RUBBER.—Final dividend of 10 per cent., making 15 per cent. for the year, and a bonus of 10 per cent.

PANAWATTE TEA AND RUBBER.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., making a total of 20 per cent. for the year, less tax.

VAL DE TRAVERS ASPHALTE.—Further dividend of 9d. per share, making 5 per cent. for the year 1919.

BANTAM (JAVA) RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax for the year ending 30th June next.

NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND.—Interim dividend for the year of 5 per cent., free of tax.

BARROW HAEMATITE STEEL.—Dividend on the Ordinary Shares of 5 per cent. for the year 1919 and a non-cumulative dividend on the Second Preference Shares of 2½ per cent. for the year 1919, subject to tax.

CUNARD STEAMSHIP.—The directors have decided to recommend to the shareholders at the forthcoming meeting a dividend of 10 p.c., less income tax, for the year 1919 on the Ord. Shares, including the new shares issued on the 16th February, 1920.

KEAN AND SCOTT.—Further dividend on original Ordinary Shares of 5 per cent., less tax, making 7½ per cent. for the year, and a bonus of 5 per cent., free of tax; and on Ordinary New Shares at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum, less tax, and a bonus for the half-year at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, free of tax.

HOPE BROTHERS.—Dividend at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum, less tax, upon the Ordinary, for the six months to February 29th, making 10 per cent. for the year, together with a bonus of 5 per cent. It is proposed to issue 100,000 new Ordinary Shares at par to the existing Ordinary shareholders in the proportion of one new share to every three shares held.

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FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The transfer books of John I. Thornycroft and Co.'s Preference Shares, Part. Preferred Ordinary Shares, and Ordinary Shares will be closed from Saturday, 17th, until Wednesday, 28th April, both days inclusive.

The transfer books of Alexander Thom and Co. will be closed from 16th to 29th April, both days inclusive.

The transfer books of the Linen Thread Co.'s Cumulative Preference Shares will be closed from 16th to 30th inst., both days inclusive.

With reference to De Keyser's Royal Hotel, Ltd., the receiver, Mr. Arthur Whinney, has entered into a provisional contract for the sale of the hotel premises and equipment to Mr. A. L. Ormrod, of 14 Regent street, S.W., for the sum of £390,000. This sum, together with the sum of £20,000 paid by the Government on account of dilapidations (which is not included in the sale), will be sufficient to satisfy the claims of the Debenture-holders outstanding, and all prior charges, and to provide in full for the unsecured creditors of the company, 20/- in the £ for the Preference Shareholders, and a sum estimated at 12/- in the £ for the Ordinary Shareholders. It would perhaps be superfluous to say that Mr. A. L. Ormrod represents the group of which the Dunlop Rubber interests constitute the nucleus.

Our Manchester Correspondent foreshadows a Slough Works acquisition and huge mass motor production and development scheme by the Perry-Wallace group. Sir Percival Perry's present headquarters is Motor Organisation, Ltd., 4 Dean Stanley street, Westminster, where are now meeting the directorate of the proposed greatest British motor and transport combination. Another moving spirit therein is A. N. Noble, Chairman of the Pytchley Autocar Company, and Vice-Chairman of the United Motor and General Insurance Company, but the chief of the "gods in the car" is Sir Percival Perry, Baronet, whose experience in the Food Production Department, the Agricultural Machinery Section of the Ministry of Munitions, and as Director of Traction for the aforesaid Department, together with his preceding general managership of the European Branch of the Ford Motor Company (and before that as the presiding genius of the Westrumite Road Sprayer Organisation) should prove exceedingly valuable in the present huge motor venture. The future career of this young man, and the great scheme which is involved in his present huge deal, will be interesting to watch. Moreover, as showing the great development locality of motor traction, the Blackpool Corporation has appointed a special committee to cope with the traffic during the ensuing summer season. It is officially reported that during the Easter week-end alone 700 motor char-a-bancs and 6,500 other cars arrived in the town, and the provision of municipal garages or entrepots, besides special stations for loading and unloading, is being urged before the committee, which is also considering the question of aerodrome accommodation.

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COMPANY NOTICES.

ALEXANDER THOM AND CO., LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from 16th to 29th April, 1920, both days inclusive.

By Order.

8 Crow street, Dublin, 15th April, 1920.

THE LINEN THREAD CO., LIMITED.

The Transfer Books of the 5 per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares will be Closed from 16th to 30th inst., both days inclusive, preparatory to payment of Interim Dividend on 1st prox.

By Order of the Board,
WM. B. CUTHBERT, F.C.I.S., Secretary.
53 Bothwell street, Glasgow,
10th April, 1920.

JOHN I. THORNYCROFT AND CO., LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company as regards the Preference Shares, Part Preferred Ordinary Shares, and the Ordinary Shares will be Closed from Saturday, the 17th April until Wednesday, the 28th April, 1920, both days inclusive, for preparation of the interim dividend warrants.

(By Order of the Board)
J. MAUGHLIN, Secretary.
10 Grosvenor place, London, S.W.,
13th April, 1920.

PROSPECTUS.

A Copy of the full Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The permission of the Committee of the Stock Exchange for dealing in the Shares now issued will be applied for in due course.

The List of Applications will Close on or before the 20th day of April, 1920.

THE ANGLO-CELTIC SHIPPING COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

CAPITAL,

Authorised. £500,000 — IN ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH. — To be issued. £400,000.

The Articles of Association comply with the regulations of the London Stock Exchange, and confer upon the Shareholders the absolute right of free transfer of Shares.

DIRECTORS.

JOHN GRIFFITHS, Bryn Teifi, Neath, Glamorgan, Chairman the Maindy Shipping Co., Ltd., Director Western Counties Shipping Co., Ltd., Chairman.

EDGAR EDWARDS, Highmead, Ely, Glamorgan, Chairman Western Counties Shipping Co., Ltd.

GEORGE WILLIAM KETTLE, 16 Regent street, London, S.W., Managing Director the Dorland Agency, Ltd.

EDWIN ROWLAND PAYNE, Sherwood Park Road, Penarth, Glamorgan, Director Western Counties Shipping Co., Ltd.

LIEUT.-COLONEL BERTRAM JAMES WALKER, C.M.G., D.S.O., 10 Chester Terrace, Regent's Park, London, N.W., Director Marling and Evans, Ltd., Crowden and Keeves, Ltd.

SOLICITORS.

CLIFFORD, TURNER AND HOPTON, 80 Finsbury Pavement, London, E.C.

AUDITORS.

RICHARD LEYSHON AND CO., Incorporated Accountants, 108 and 109 Bute street, Cardiff.

BANKERS.

BARCLAY'S BANK, LTD., Bute Docks, Cardiff.

BROKERS.

LONDON—SIDNEY J. LOVELL AND CO., Pinners Hall, Austin Friars, E.C.;
CARDIFF—E. T. LYDDON AND SONS, 122 Bute street;
MANCHESTER—CHARLTON ILLINGWORTH AND CO., 18 Exchange street;
AND STOCK EXCHANGES.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICES.

T. A. GRIFFITHS, 143 Bute street, Cardiff.

REGISTRARS AND LONDON TRANSFER OFFICE.

MERRETT, SON AND STREET, Chartered Accountants, 41 Finsbury square, London, E.C.2.

Issue of 400,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each at 20s. per Share,

PAYABLE:—
2s. 6d. PER SHARE ON APPLICATION.
17s. 6d. ON ALLOTMENT.

Applications for 50,000 Shares have been received from the Directors and their friends.

GEORGE CLARE AND CO., LTD., 9 Old Broad street, E.C.2,

are authorised by the Company to invite applications for the above 400,000 Ordinary Shares through their Bankers—

BARCLAY'S BANK, LIMITED, City Office, 170 Fenchurch street, E.C.3.
HEAD OFFICE—54 Lombard street, E.C.3, and Branches.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY.—The Anglo-Celtic Shipping Company, Ltd., was incorporated in February, 1920, to carry on the business of steamship owners, and has since agreed to purchase the steamers, Oakfield, Caithness, Dumfries, and Inverness, of a total dead weight tonnage of 25,597 tons.

No intermediate or promotion profit is paid in respect of the purchase of these steamers, the three last named having been purchased from the Western Counties Shipping Co., Ltd.

THE FLEET.—All the steamers of the Fleet are classed 100 A1, and are fully insured, together with the freight, against all usual risks.

Particulars of them are given in the following letter from David G. Pinkney and Co.:—

9 Bury Court, St. Mary Axe, London, E.C.3,
5th March, 1920.

The Directors of The Anglo-Celtic Shipping Company, Ltd.,
143 Bute street, Cardiff.

Gentlemen,—With reference to the Steamers you have acquired, we are of opinion that their present values are as under:—

Ss. "Oakfield,"	built 1912,	6,600 tons D/W.		£210,000
Ss. "Inverness,"	,, 1902,	6,222 ,,		£110,000
Ss. "Dumfries,"	,, 1901,	6,351 ,,		£120,000
Ss. "Caithness,"	,, 1902,	6,424 ,,		£145,000
				£585,000

Yours faithfully, DAVID G. PINKNEY AND CO.

The purchase price of the above-named Steamers is £580,000, which will be provided out of the proceeds of this issue, and by a loan of approximately £200,000 from the Company's Bankers. The cost works out at about £22 13s. per ton dead-weight, compared with £40 per ton and upwards now asked for newly-built tonnage.

CHARTERS AND REVENUE.—The ss. "Oakfield" is on time charter until January, 1922, at 30s. per ton per month, D.W., the other three boats being at present on voyage charter. A time charter has been fixed for the "Caithness" at 27s. 6d. per ton, from April, 1920, to May, 1921.

The approximate gross revenue of the Fleet is now £28,897 per month, which will rise to £33,340 per month, or £400,080 per annum, as the charter that has been arranged becomes operative.

PROFITS AND DIVIDENDS.—The Directors are satisfied that the four Steamers are to-day making a profit of £11,858 per month, or at the rate of £142,296 per annum.

The policy of the Directors will be to put such sums to depreciation and reserve funds as will reduce the price at which the Steamers stand in the books of the Company, to not exceeding £10 per ton, and until this is done they do not propose to pay dividends in excess of 20 per cent. per annum.

A profit of £142,296, as above, could, therefore, subject to taxation, be allocated as follows:—

Dividend of 20 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares issued	£80,000
Interest on Loan	£14,000
To depreciation and reserve (effected by reduction of Loan)	£48,296
	£142,296

MANAGEMENT.—The management will be in the hands of Griffiths Payne and Co., Ltd., of which company Mr. J. Griffiths and Mr. E. R. Payne are the managing directors. Both these gentlemen have had long experience in ships management, and their association with various important allied concerns puts them in a position to conduct the Company's business to the best advantage, especially in regard to securing favourable rates for the Company's fleet.

Great as is the demand for British shipping to-day, it is likely to become even greater, as trade with Central Europe and Russia is resumed, and full advantage is taken of the markets in Mesopotamia and elsewhere that have been opened up through the war.

The Directors have every confidence in the future of the Company, the capital of which is fully represented by tangible and easily realisable assets, whilst the profits should allow of the payment of substantial dividends from its inception.

A brokerage of 3d. per share will be paid by the Company on all shares allotted in respect of public applications bearing the stamp of a broker or authorised agent.

Prospectuses, on the full terms of which applications will be alone entertained, and Forms of Application can be obtained from Barclay's Bank, Ltd., City Office and Branches; Clifford, Turner and Hopton, Solicitors, 80 Finsbury Pavement, E.C. 2; from the Brokers to the offer, and from George Clare and Co., Ltd., 9 Old Broad street, E.C. 2.

Dated, 25th March, 1920.

This Form may be filled up and forwarded to Barclay's Bank, Limited, City Office, 170 Fenchurch street, London, E.C. 3, or any of their Branches, together with a remittance for the amount payable on application.

No..........................

The Anglo-Celtic Shipping Company, Limited.

ISSUE OF

400,000 ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH AT 20s. PER SHARE.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

To the Directors, THE ANGLO-CELTIC SHIPPING COMPANY, LIMITED.

(18)

GENTLEMEN,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £.........................., being a deposit of 2/6 per Share on application for..........................Ordinary Shares of £1 each of the above Company, I/we request you to allot me/us that number, upon the terms of the prospectus dated the 25th March, 1920, subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the said Company, and I/we hereby agree to accept the same or any smaller number that may be allotted to me/us, and to pay the balance due from me/us as specified in the said prospectus, and I/we authorise you to register me/us as the holder of the said Shares. I/we hereby declare that this application is not made by or for the benefit of an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy (Amendment) Act, 1916.

DATED THIS.......................... 1920.

USUAL SIGNATURE ....

PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

NAME IN FULL (Block Letters) ....
(State if Mr., Mrs., or Miss.)

ADDRESS (IN FULL) ....

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OCCUPATION ....

Cheques should be drawn payable to Bearer, and crossed "Barclay's Bank, Limited."
Any alteration from "Order" to "Bearer" must be authenticated by the drawer's signature.
No receipt will be issued for payment on application, but an acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course either by letter of allotment, in whole or in part, or by return of deposit.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

SALE NEXT TUESDAY, 20TH APRIL.

4 GARDINER'S ROW, ADJOINING RUTLAND SQUARE (IMMEDIATE POSSESSION)

A FINE OLD CITY MANSION HOUSE, four storeys over basement, with deep rear, coach-house and stabling. Contains ten apartments over basement. Reception rooms are exceptionally large and lofty. Held under lease of lives renewable for ever, and sold subject to £7 4s. 0d. per annum. Stable let at 4s. per week.

Messrs. H. T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, 24 Clare street.

UNOCCUPIED. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

41 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD.—BEST POSITION ON THE ROAD

Countryside, near Phœnix Park. Two storeys over basement, granite steps, return building; accommodation, two sittingrooms, with folding doors, study, three family bedrooms, bathroom, with porcelain bath, wash-hand basin, hot and cold supply; lofty and lightsome basement storey, tiled kitchen, with close range, copper cylinder; servant's room, pantries, scullery, gas and Vartry water throughout; outside coal store and w.c. Lease 500 years. Sold subject to £5 12/6 per annum. Key with Auctioneers.

Messrs. BRADY and HAYDEN, Solicitors, Molesworth street.

2 HARCOURT TERRACE, ADELAIDE RD. (IMMEDIATE POSSESSION TO PURCHASER),

SOUND SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE, one door from Adelaide road. Choice residential position, private and convenient; less than five minutes' walk from Stephen's Green. Contains spacious entrance hall, with three rooms opening off; four rooms on the two upper floors, bath, wash-hand basin, two w.c.'s, with kitchen, pantries, servant's room, copper cylinder, gas throughout; garden at rear, with stable. Held for ever, free of rent.

Messrs. FRED SUTTON and SONS, Solicitors, 52 Dame street.

13 MAYOR STREET (A FEW MINUTES' WALK FROM NORTH WALL)—

Sound House, with large yard, stables, and cowhouses. House contains 8 apartments, and occupies corner position, with gate entrance to yard, stabling for eight horses, and standing for 80 head of cattle; close to berths of City of Dublin steamers. Held for 900 years from 1850, subject to £10 10s. 0d. per annum. Let at £1 3s. 0d. per week, landlord paying taxes.

GEO. D. FOTTRELL & SONS, Solicitors for Owner, 46 Fleet street.

ESTATE OF MAJOR ALEX. DONOVAN. CITY OF DUBLIN.

WELL-SECURED RENTS AND VALUABLE REVERSIONS.

LOT 1.—£92 6s. 2d. PER ANNUM FEE-FARM RENT,

payable out of the fee-simple premises, No. 18 DAME STREET, DUBLIN, under a Fee-farm Grant dated 12th November, 1897. This rent is a well-secured ground rent, and offers an investment of the highest class.

LOT 2.—£98 12s. 7d. PER ANNUM,

payable out of the premises, 58 DAME STREET and 29 EUSTACE STREET, held by Vendor under Fee-farm Grant dated 1896, subject to £11 13s. 7d. per annum. No. 58 Dame street is leased for a term of 100 years from 1874 at the yearly rent of £90, and 29 Eustace street for 200 years from March, 1784, at £20 6s. 2d. per annum, present currency. The total rental is thus £110 6s. 2d. from both houses, and deducting the Fee-farm rent of £11 13s. 7d., leaves a well-secured rent of £98 12s. 7d. per annum for sale

LOT 3.—£46 3s. 1d. PER ANNUM,

payable out of No. 30 and 31 UPPER MERRION STREET, as follows:—Both houses are held for 135½ years from 29th September, 1803, at rent of £21 per annum, present currency. This lease will expire in March, 1929. No. 30 Upper Merrion street is sub-leased till March, 1937, at £21 per annum, and No. 31 Upper Merrion street till September, 1936, at £46 3s. 1d. per annum. There is, therefore, a well-secured profit rent of £46 3s. 1d. per annum, subject to adjustment.

LOT 4.—£46 3s. 1d. PER ANNUM FEE-FARM RENT,

payable out of 14 TRINITY STREET (corner of St. Andrew's Lane), held by Vendor in Fee-Simple. The premises are retail licence, and tenant holds under Fee-farm Grant dated 1897, at £46 3s. 1d. per annum. This rent is a security of the highest class.

LOT 5.—£46 3s. 1d. PER ANNUM FEE-FARM RENT,

payable out of 16 TRINITY STREET (corner of Dame Lane), held by Vendor in Fee-Simple. The premises are retail licensed, and tenant holds under Fee-farm Grant at £46 3s. 1d. This rent is absolutely secure.

LOT 6.—No. 17 TRINITY ST., SECURE RENT & VALUABLE REVERSION

These premises are held by Vendor in Fee-simple, and are sub-leased for 31 years from 1st July, 1904, at the yearly rent of £37 10s. 0d. The tenant's lease will expire in 16 years, when purchaser will be entitled to possession of the premises, which are situated in a first-class position, within one door of Dame-street.

LOT 7.—£31 10s. 0d. PER ANNUM,

payable out of RETAIL LICENSED PREMISES, 141 TOWNSEND STREET (corner of Mark street), held by Vendor in Fee-simple, and sub-leased for 950 years from 1824 at £34 2s. 6d., late currency, equivalent to £31 10s. 0d. per annum present currency.

LOT 8.—£92 6s. 1d. PER ANNUM,

payable out of 14 WESTMORELAND STREET, at present in the occupation of the Scottish Equitable Life Assurance Society. Held by Vendor under Fee-farm Grant at the yearly rent of £21 10s. 11½d., tenant holds by Fee-farm Grant at £113 17s. 1d. per annum, leaving for sale a well-secured rent of £92 6s. 1d. per annum.

LOT 9.—£113 15s. 0d. PER ANNUM,

payable out of 9 WESTMORELAND STREET, held by Vendor in Fee-simple, and sub-leased for 999 years from 1805 at £123 6s. 10d. per annum late currency, equivalent to £113 17s. 1d. The rent paid for many years is £113 15s. 0d. A first-class security.

LOT 10.—13 WESTMORELAND STREET, SECURE RENT AND REVERSION

These premises are held by Vendor in Fee-simple, and are sub-leased for 42 years from 1903 at the low rent of £150 per annum. On the expiration of this lease purchaser will be entitled to possession, when a substantially increased rent will be obtainable.

Messrs. FEW and CO., Solicitors, 19 Surrey street, Strand, W.C.2.

Messrs. DARLEY, ORPEN, and SYNNOTT, Solicitors, 30 and 31 Kildare street, Dublin.

£63 PER ANNUM,

GROUND RENTS payable out of the Fee-simple Ground, on which stand 18 to 31, inclusive, and 63, 64, 66, 67 Reuben avenue, 18 houses in all. The Poor Law Valuation of the houses securing the rent is £234. A first-class investment, the rents being payable under leases for 999 years, and not subject to any deduction save income tax.

Messrs. A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, Dame House, 24 Dame street.

STRAMORNE, SIDNEY PARADE AVENUE, MERRION

(WITH POSSESSION TO PURCHASER).

Held from Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 28th March, 1882, subject to £8 per annum. Situated at corner of Park avenue, frontage to Sidney Parade avenue about 60ft., frontage to Park Avenue about 170ft.; good garden, with greenhouse, tennis ground; large gate entrance from Park avenue; ample room for garage. A handsome modern building, exceptionally well-built, and in the most perfect order; electric light and heating stoves; two storeys high, without basement; granite foundation; ornamental broken front bay windows; porch entrance and inner hall; 2 drawingrooms, communicating through folding doors; diningroom, study, morning room, fitted with handsome mantels and grates; 5 family bedrooms and bathroom, fully fitted with lavatory basin, hot and cold water, shower and spray bath, separate w.c.; servant's room, tiled kitchen, pantries, scullery and larder, coal store, etc., and usual out-offices, all in most perfect order, and electrically lighted and heated. Seen daily, 12 to 3, by written order.

AN EXCEPTIONALLY PERFECT RESIDENCE.

MILWARD JONES and CAMERON, Solicitors, 6 Dawson street.

NO. 4 HARGRAVE TERRACE, TERENURE RD.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

Choice residential position, tram passing. Bright modern House, containing drawingroom, diningroom, breakfast room, four bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c. water, with fixed wash hand basin; servant's room, kitchen, pantries, large garden. Held with No. 3 Hargrave terrace for 800 years from 1879, subject to £16 10/- per annum for both houses. No. 4 will be sold subject to £8 5/- per annum, and indemnified against the remainder of said rent. Immediate possession will be given to purchaser. Seen daily (Thursdays and Sundays excepted) 11 to 1 and 2 to 4 p.m. by written order.

Messrs. BAKER, RINGWOOD, and GORDON, Solicitors for Vendor, 5 Clare street, Dublin.

£38 15s. 7d. PER ANNUM, PAYABLE BY ONE TENANT

Out of the premises 104 to 109 Talbot street (formerly 25 Marlborough street and 91 and 92 Talbot street). Held by Vendor, subject to £46 3/1 per annum, and sub-leased for 899 years from 1861, at the yearly rent of £85 per annum, leaving for sale after the necessary adjustments, a profit of £38 15/7 per annum, thoroughly well secured.

Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 GRANBY ROW, HELD SUBJECT TO £40 8s. 4d.,

and Let to tenants at rents amounting to £129 per annum.

J. R. CRESSWELL, Solicitor, 69 and 70 Dame street, Dublin.

65 RANELAGH ROAD.—MODERN DETACHED HOUSE (WITHOUT BASEMENT),

corner of NORTHBROOK ROAD. Bay windows to second storey; frontage to Ranelagh road about 63 feet, to Northbrook road about 300 feet. Contains 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom (hot and cold water), w.c., kitchen, scullery; boxroom, with out-offices; garden in front and large garden in rear. Held for 500 years from 1858, subject to £15 per annum, which is reduced to £3 per annum by a rent of £12 per annum received for part of the ground fronting Northbrook road, on which six houses have been built. Let to a tenant whose term expires 1st of December next.

Messrs. CATHCART and HEMPHILL, Solicitors, 11 Ely place.

49 GREAT CHARLES STREET, MOUNTJOY SQUARE, known as

"OLD ELVET," WITH POSSESSION TO PURCHASER. A DETACHED DOUBLE-FRONTED TWO-STOREYED HOUSE, with side entrance; frontage about 50 feet, depth about 200 feet. Contains drawingroom, diningroom, morning room, study, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, separate w.c., servant's room, kitchen, scullery; pantries, with very large garden at rear, and outside w.c. Lease 1,000 years from 1862, subject to £8 8s. 0d. per annum

Messrs. CATHCART and HEMPHILL, Solicitors, Ely place.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, AUCTIONEERS.

OUR SALE BY AUCTION OF THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY

HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL MONDAY NEXT, 19TH APRIL, AT 1.30 P.M.:—

No. 1 SANDFORD TERRACE, CLONSKEAGH.
55 HIGHFIELD ROAD, RATHGAR.
22 DARTMOUTH SQUARE, LEESON PARK.
GROUND RENT £133 16s. OUT OF 11 LEINSTER STREET.
GROUND RENT £15 OUT OF PRINCE OF WALES TERRACE.
AND 7 WESLEY ROAD, RATHGAR.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, AUCTIONEERS,

38 AND 39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET.

JAMES ALLEN & SON'S SALES.

ON THURSDAY NEXT, 22ND APRIL, 1920,

ATTRACTIVE SUBURBAN RESIDENCE (CLEAR POSSESSION),

15 BREFFNI TERRACE, SANDYCOVE,

Held under lease for 159 years from 1877. Head rent, £6 5/-. The Premises are semi-detached, and contain 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, breakfastroom, servant's room, kitchen, pantries, hot and cold bath; with large garden front and rear; situate on tram line.

SALE AT 1.0 P.M.

70 CABRA PARK (FORMERLY ALTENURE TERRACE),

Held under lease for 200 years, subject to the yearly rent of £5. These Premises contain 7 apartments, hot bath, and are let to a first-class monthly tenant at £42.

SALE AT 1.0 P.M.

Messrs. STEWART AND ORR, 7 Great Brunswick street, Dublin.

JAMES ALLEN & SON,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

53 & 54 LOWER SACKVILLE STREET, DUBLIN.

'Phone—74. AUCTIONS CONDUCTED IN TOWN AND COUNTRY.

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND PIANOS.

AUCTION TO-MORROW (FRIDAY) AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK.

COX'S AUCTION ROOMS.

Comprising:—A Superior Collection of Dublin-made Household Furniture, High-Class Pianos, and General Miscellaneous Effects, including the Complete Furnishings of Diningrooms, Drawingrooms, several Bedrooms, Beds and Bedding, Brass Fenders and Fire Brasses, Carpets, Linoleums, &c., &c. GOODS ON VIEW.

AUCTION COMMENCES AT 12.30. PIANOS SOLD AT 3 O'CLOCK.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER.

SPECIAL FURNITURE AUCTION, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.

JAMES HILL & SON

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT, HAVING RECEIVED FOR IMMEDIATE REALISATION AN IMPORTANT COLLECTION OF

HIGH-CLASS MODERN FURNITURE

FROM STRAFFAN LODGE, STRAFFAN; CROSTHWAITE PARK, KINGSTOWN; VICTORIA ROAD, DALKEY; BOOTERSTOWN AVENUE, MESSRS. BEVERLY SMYTH'S and MESSRS. MILLAR and BEATTY'S STORES. ON VIEW THIS DAY.

THEY PROPOSE TO OFFER AT AUCTION,

ON SATURDAY NEXT, APRIL 17TH,

AND (IN CONTINUATION) ON MONDAY NEXT,

BOTH DAYS AT ONE O'CLOCK,

WITHIN THEIR WELL-KNOWN ROOMS, AS ABOVE:

An exceptional Mahogany Inlaid Bedroom Suite, comprising 6ft. Wardrobe, Dressing Table, Pair of Pedestal Basin Stands, with Twin Bedstead, en suite, having Hair Mattresses and Wedge Bolsters; a well-made Burr Walnut and Satinwood Bedroom Suite, with 6ft. Wardrobe, Dressing Chest, having Swing and Wing Mirrors and Washstand; Single Wardrobes, of various dimensions, in Mahogany and Walnut; Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite; massive All-Brass and Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, Feather Bolsters and Pillows; two Pairs of Oak Duchesse Toilet Tables, as new; Mahogany and other Chests of Drawers; 5ft. Carved Black Oak Sideboard, of noble proportions; Spanish Mahogany Sideboards, with Mirror and Carved-panel Backs; a Mahogany Empire Sideboard, with Chased Ormolu Mounts, and Buffet to match; an elegant Mahogany Inlaid Sheraton Writing Table, with Brass Gallery; luxuriously Upholstered Chesterfield Settees; Deep-seated Easy Chairs, in Silk Tapestry and Leather; Brass and Bronze Fender Suites, Coal Cabinets, Sets of Mahogany and Oak Extending Dining Tables, Sofas, Settees, Sets of Chairs; fine quality Axminster and Wilton Pile Room and Stair Carpets; Chippendale Pool Table, do. Tray-top Tables, do. Arm Chair, Circular and Oval Centre Tables, Curtains, Rugs, China, Glass, and Ornamental Items, together with a large and varied assortment of useful effects.

FULLER PARTICULARS IN LATER ADVERTISEMENTS.

JAMES HILL & SON, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK

ECCLES HOTEL, 70 ECCLES STREET.

HAVING RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM MRS. ELLIS WHO IS LEAVING THE NEIGHBOURHOOD,

JAMES HILL & SON,

WILL OFFER FOR SALE BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, AS ABOVE,

ON TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1920, AT 12 O'CLOCK PRECISELY,

A LARGE RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Including:—Sideboard, Mahogany Dining Table; Diningroom Suite, in Saddlebags; Sofas, Chairs, Mirrors, the Contents of seven Bedrooms, and the Appointments of Domestic Offices.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE. TERMS—FIVE PER CENT. AUCTION FEES.

JAMES HILL & SON, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.

FURNITURE AUCTION. 16 WINTON AVENUE, RATHGAR.

JAMES HILL and SON have received instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, as above,

ON THURSDAY, APRIL 22ND,

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VACANT Possession, "Homestead," 14 Melrose avenue, Fairview, off Philipsburg avenue; porched entrance, bay windows, sittingroom, diningroom, kitchen, 3 good bedrooms, bath; ground rent £4 10/-; lease 400 years. MacArthur's Auction, Friday, 23rd April. F

18 GRANTHAM st.—Compact Premises, centrally situated; Sale 22nd April.—Battersby, Auctioneers. X

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ROLL OF HONOUR.

CURRIE—March 30, 1920, at 37 Casual Clearing Station, Danzig, of influenza and pneumonia, Brigadier-General Ryves A. M. Currie, D.S.O., beloved husband of Ida Melville, Merlon, Camberley, Surrey, and dearly-loved son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Currie and Mrs. Currie, Alcebergh, Suffolk.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRERETON—In proud and loving memory of [illegible] Brereton, Corporal 9th Inniskillings, who made the supreme sacrifice on 14th April, 1918 ... "He has fought the good fight."

COOTE—In loving memory of Corporal J. [illegible] Coote, 12th Battalion Royal Irish Rifles, killed in action, at Kemmel, 14th April, 1918 ... "The strife is o'er, the battle done."

[illegible]LLEY—In loving memory of Thomas Richard [illegible], Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, ... 15th, 1918, youngest son of Thomas [illegible] Kelley, 7 Aungier st. "For ever with the Lord."

GREENE—In ever-loving memory of my dear husband, Bertram Argyll Greene, Lieutenant Royal Irish Fusiliers, who died April 16th, 1918 ... Though life and all take flight ... good-bye."

SHEKLETON—In proud and ever-loving memory of our dear brother, Herbert A. Shekleton, killed in action on 15th April, 1917, near Arras, son of William Shekleton, Kingscourt, Co. Cavan.

BIRTHS.

BURNETT—April 8, 1920, at No. 2 Geardine, Longford, the wife of Charles W. Burnett, of a daughter.

McDONALD—March 31, 1920, at Belclare, Gardens, Rathmines, the wife of John McDonald, of a son.

McKENNA—April 13, 1920, at Drimnagh, to Mr. and Mrs. John McKenna, a son.

MALONE—April 8, 1920, at Cologne, Germany, wife of Captain E. Malone, A.P.D., G.H.Q., Rhine Army, a son (premature birth).

MUNRO—On Wednesday, April 14, 1920, at [illegible] Merrion, to the wife of D. R. Munro.

O'MEARA—March 28, 1920, at Ardfort, the wife of John F. O'Meara, a son.

SMITH—April 10, 1920, at Iona, Grove Park, Rathmines, to Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Leixlip, Co. Kildare, a son.

MARRIAGES.

BATTERSBY and GREEN—April 14, 1920, at [illegible] Presbyterian Church, Rostrevor, by the Rev. William McMordie, M.A., D.D., ex-Moderator of the General Assembly, Francis John Gerrard, only son of T. S. Frank Battersby, K.C., 45 Upper Mount st., Dublin, and Sheenick Lodge, Skerries, to Mabelle, second daughter of Robert Green, Kilkeel, Co. Down.

BEATTIE and BUTLER—April 6, 1920, at [illegible] Church, by Rev. W. H. Gahan, John Wilson Beattie, fourth son of the late Joseph Beattie, [illegible], to Lillie, youngest daughter of Richard Butler, of Knockduff House, Gorey.

CHINN and BOURKE—April 12, 1920, at St. [illegible] Church, Longford, by the Rev. H. Justice, Walter Algernon Chinn, Wells, Somerset, to Mary Elizabeth (May), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bourke, Dublin st., Longford.

HANLY and O'CONNOR—April 5, 1920, at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Roscommon, with Nuptial Mass, by the Very Rev. Canon Cummins, Michael Hanly, Merchant, The Square, Roscommon, to Kate, youngest daughter of the late Patrick O'Connor, and Rosanna O'Connor, Merchant, Roscommon. No cards.

KELLY and GAYNOR—April 7, 1920, at the Baptist Church, Blackrock, by the Rev. J. McCarthy, C.C., William Herbert, second son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kelly, Rathgar, to Florence Mary Evelyn, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gaynor, 3 Temple Villas, Palmerston rd. No cards.

POULTON and ADAIR—April 7, 1920, [illegible], by Rev. Philip Adair (father of the bride), Captain G. Vincent, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vincent Poulton, Park av., Sydney Parade, to Mabel Margaret, third daughter of Rev. Philip and Mrs. Adair, Villa "Anne Marie," Honfleur.

WALKER and CLARK—April 10, 1920, at the Parish Church, Winscombe, Somerset, by the Vicar, Rev. J. A. Dodd, Captain Edmund Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Walker, of Saffron Walden, Essex, to Ethel Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Clark, of Winscombe.

DEATHS.

BROWN—April 14, 1920, at Wilderness Lodge, [illegible] Agnes, beloved wife of William Brown. Thy will be done."

BYRNE—April 13, 1920, at 24 Clarinda Park, Kingstown, Rev. Thomas Byrne, P.P., St. Audoen's. R.I.P. Solemn Requiem Office and Mass, St. Audoen's, High st., 11 a.m., to-day (Friday). His Grace the Archbishop will preside. Funeral to Glasnevin immediately after Mass.

DOYLE—April 14, 1920, at his residence, [illegible], Ranelagh rd., Michael Doyle, late [illegible], Shankill, Co. Dublin, father of Rev. [illegible] Doyle, C.C., Kilmyshall, Ferns. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and children. R.I.P. Funeral to Glasnevin this (Friday) morning after 9 o'clock Mass, from St. Kevin's, Harrington st.

HAMILTON—April 12, 1920, in Rome, of pneumonia, John Miller, B.A. (Oxon), B.L., only son of the late Captain J. M. Hamilton, R.M.L.I., and Mrs. Hamilton, 83 Wellington rd., Dublin.

HARDY—April 14, 1920, at 9 Zion rd., Rathgar, James North Hardy, only son of the late Freeman Hardy, of Belfast. "When I see the Blood I will pass over you." Exodus xii., 13. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday), 17th inst., leaving 9 Zion rd., Rathgar, for Mount Jerome at 9 o'clock a.m. No flowers, by request.

KELLS—April 14, 1920, Henry Kells, D.M., late 7 Pleasants st., aged 41 years, the beloved husband of Louisa Kells. Funeral will leave City Morgue, at 1.30 p.m., to-day (Friday), 16th inst., for Mount Jerome. American and Australian papers please copy.

LENNON—April 10, 1920, at 30 East 32nd st., Kansas City, Mo., Lionel Arthur, aged 59, fourth son of the late Charles Homan Lennon, Newtown House, Enfield, Co. Meath. "Until the day break and the shadows flee away."

O'REILLY—April 15, 1920, at his residence, [illegible] House, Belmullet, Co. Mayo, Thomas F. O'Reilly, dearly-loved husband of Margaret O'Reilly, aged 68 years. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. No flowers.

RAMSAY—April 14, 1920, Eleanor, daughter of the late James Wilson Ramsay, Abbey st., Dublin, aged 88. Funeral at Mount Jerome to-morrow (Saturday) morning, 9.20. New Zealand papers please copy.

SHEANE—April 14, 1920, Emma Sheane, [illegible] Edmundsbury, Lucan. "Safe in the arms of Jesus." Funeral leaves Steevens' Hospital 1 o'clock.

STUDDERT—April 11, 1920, at Parkgate, Eastbourne, Major Charles W. Studdert, of Craig[illegible], Corofin, Co. Clare, aged 84.

IN MEMORIAM.

JOHNSTON—Tenth Anniversary—In sad and affectionate remembrance of our darling mother, Beatrice (Bee) Elizabeth Johnston, of Devonshire Square, Bandon, who died suddenly, in Dublin, on April 14, 1910. "For ever with the Lord."

YOUNG—In loving memory of our dear Florrie, who died April 16th, 1919. Ever remembered at home.

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